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ANNUAL REPORT

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TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

February 15th, 1909.

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OF
HILLSBOROUGH

COMPRISING THE REPORTS OF
Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Road Agent,
Board of Health, Board of Education, Town School
Board, Auditors and Precinct Officers,

FOR THE
Fiscal Year Ending February 15th, 1909
AND THE
Vital Statistics for the Year Ending De-
cember 31st, 1908.

HILLSBORO BRIDGE, N. H.
FLANDERS & CHADWICK, PRINTERS.
1909,

1939
1908
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator,

STILLMAN H. BAKER.

Selectmen and Assessors,

CHARLES S. FLANDERS,

FRED B. MONROE,

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

Town Clerk,

WILLIAM H. STORY.

Town Treasurer,

WILLIAM H. DENNISON.

Collector of Taxes,

AMOS A. WYMAN.

Highway Agent,

WILLIAM F. BENNETT,

Supervisors,

JAMES H. WHITE,

ANDREW J. VANDOMMELE

EMMONS C. NEWMAN.

Board of Health,

DR. JOHN GOODELL,

DR. WARREN P. GRIMES

LEON E. ANNIS.

Overseer of Poor,

STILLMAN H. BAKER.

Trustees of Fuller Public Library,

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON S. HILL,

CHARLES S. FLANDERS,

FRED B. MONROE,

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

Board of Education Special School District,

GEORGE W. HASLET,

MARY A. CROSBY

LEON E. ANNIS.

School Board—Town School District,

JAMES M. RAY,

MARY C. ATWOOD,

MINNIE P. GAY

Auditors,

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON E. ANNIS

Chief of Police,

FRANK D. PAIGE,

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hillsborough, County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Childs' Opera House in said town on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Highway Agent, Town Clerk and Chief of Police for the ensuing year, Trustee of the Fuller Public Library for the two ensuing years and all other necessary town officers or agents for the ensuing year.

2. To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer and Tax Collector to the Town Auditors, the reports of the Auditors, Agents, Committees or other town officers heretofore chosen or appointed and to pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town and apply upon the principal and interest of the town debt, or pass any vote relating thereto.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the building and repairing highways, bridges and culverts.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise any money for school purposes other than that required by law or pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of

money, not to exceed seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) for Senator Grimes Post, G. A. R., to be used Memorial Day.

7. To see if the town will vote to continue the present laws in force prohibiting cattle and horses from running at large in the highways.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise any money for the support of the Fuller Public Library, or pass any vote relating thereto.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure State aid for the permanent improvement of highways, under the law passed at the January Session, 1905.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to be used for the enforcement of the Prohibitory Liquor Law in this town.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

CHARLES S. FLANDERS,
FRED B. MONROE,
EUGENE C. RUMRILL,
Selectmen of Hillsborough.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1909.

To the Citizens of Hillsborough:

The time is again at hand for the officers of the people to render an account of their stewardship. It has been found necessary for some of the accounts to overrun the appropriations. The sidewalk on the long bridge had to be relaid at an expense of nearly two hundred dollars and about this sum has been expended on sidewalks more than was appropriated. The forest fires cost the town several hundred dollars. The heavy rains during the fall of 1907 left the roads in such a condition that the regular road money was insufficient to place them in a satisfactory condition. The sum total of the outstanding notes against the town has been reduced \$1835 and the debt has been reduced \$583.81. We trust that by a reference to the different departments you will obtain the information necessary for a correct understanding of the disbursements.

Through the generosity of George W. Lincoln those doing business with the town have the free use of a telephone at the town office.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

From Feb. 15, 1908, to Feb. 15, 1909.

VALUATION OF TOWN APRIL 1ST, 1908.

Polls, 669	\$66900 00
Horses, 438	34750 00
Asses, 1	10 00
Oxen, 57	2820 00
Cows, 659	17002 00
Neat Stock, 253	4932 00
Sheep, 99	297 00
Fowls, 150	75 00
Hogs, 6	60 00
Carriages	4750 00
Stock in Banks	51800 00
Money at Interest	12047 00
Stock in Trade	119850 00
Mills and Machinery	75600 00
Real Estate	895749 00
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Total valuation of Town	\$1286632 00
Valuation of Village Precinct	886100 00
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Valuation outside of Precinct	\$400532 00

TAXES ASSESSED APRIL 1ST, 1908.

State tax	\$2815 00
County tax	1760 84
Street lights	1600 00
Police expenses	650 00
School supplies	800 00
Fuller Public Library	500 00
Town Poor	300 00
Board of Health	150 00
Miscellaneous expenses	100 00
Highways by law	3216 58
Extra for highways	1827 50
Breaking roads	700 00
Sidewalks	800 00
Schools by law	4222 50
Village fire precinct	4500 00
Town school district	1300 00
Special school district	1950 00
Memorial Day	75 00
Old Home Day	150 00
Suppression of moths	50 00
Overlay	821 23
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	\$28288 65

RATE OF TAXATION ON EACH \$100.00 VALUATION.

	In the Precinct.	Out of Precinct.
State, County, Town and Schools	\$1.35	\$1.35
Highways by law	.25	.25
Precinct	.48	
Special School District	.24	
Town School District		.33
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	\$2.32	\$1.93

DISBURSEMENTS.

BILLS ALLOWED BY THE SELECTMEN AND PAID BY ORDERS ON THE TOWN TREASURER.

STATE TAX.

Solon A. Carter, state treasurer	\$2815 00	
		\$2815 00

COUNTY TAX.

A. S. Healy, county treasurer	\$1760 84	
		\$1760 84

PRECINCT.

W. H. Story, treasurer	\$4500 00	
		\$4500 00

SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Mary A. Crosby, treasurer, appropriation	\$2905 68	
" " special appropriation	1950 00	
" " Deering school tax	22 68	
" " literary fund	164 87	
" " dog licenses	250 27	
" " proportion of school fund	250 00	
		\$5543 50

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Jas. M. Ray, treasurer, appropriation	\$1316 82	
" " special appropriation	1300 00	
" " high school tuition from state	39 16	
" " literary fund	74 53	
" " dog licenses	113 13	
" " proportion of school fund	168 25	
		\$3011 89

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Town District	\$124 91	
Special District	508 18	
	<hr/>	\$633 09

MEMORIAL DAY.

Senator Grimes Post, G. A. R.,	\$75 00	
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REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS.

(See Highway Agent's Report.)

W. F. Bennett, agent	\$5052 41	
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BOARD OF HEALTH.

James R. Hudson, wages in quarantine	\$10 50	
W. P. Grimes, services in Hudson case	11 00	
Leon E. Annis, services on Board of Health	10 00	
Leon E. Annis, services as plumbing inspector	15 00	
John Goodell, services on Board of Health	7 00	
W. H. Abbott, services in Smith quarantine case	30 50	
W. P. Grimes, services on Board of Health	14 50	
	<hr/>	\$98 50

TOWN NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

Notes paid	\$2835 00	
Interest paid on notes	1167 53	
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TOWN POOR.

(See Report.)

S. H. Baker, aid furnished	\$370 40	
S. H. Baker, services and expenses	25 00	
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POLICE EXPENSES.

Frank D. Paige, services as chief	\$640 50	
" " extra labor	10 82	
" " court fees	6 85	
" " special police	15 85	
" " expense keeping and taking prisoners to Grasmere	143 97	
" " food for tramps	15 37	
" " police supplies	29 87	
" " oil for station	60	
" " repairs on station	1 97	
" " wood for station	18 50	
" " cleaning station	4 35	
" " telephone	90	
	<hr/>	\$889 55

FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY.

George W. Haslet, treasurer	\$500 00	
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MAINTAINING WATERING TROUGHS.

G. M. Russell	3 00	
W. E. Tryon	2 00	
Mark Buttrick	2 00	
J. M. Davis	2 00	
T. H. Wilson	3 00	
John Grinnell	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$13 50

STREET LIGHTING.

Hillsboro Electric Light & Power Co.	\$1524 38	
F. J. Gibson, labor and supplies	8 93	
W. C. Powers, labor and supplies	20 75	
	<hr/>	\$1554 06

TRUST FUND NOTES.

Jas M. Ray, interest on Abby Murdough note	\$ 4 50	
George W. Haslet, interest on cemetery trust fund notes	28 50	
	<hr/>	\$33 00

SIDEWALKS AND CROSSINGS.

Walter J. Farrar, lumber	\$ 75 00	
Frank X. Tardif, concreting	6 11 21	
James W. Prichard, labor	36 62	
Levi G. Pike, "	12 25	
N. B. Peaslee, "	12 25	
E. J. Douglas, "	1 75	
A. C. Hoyt, "	1 75	
W. F. Bennett, lumber	9 22	
Frank M. Parker, lumber	90 00	
F. W. Bennett, trucking	1 25	
F. B. Ives, labor	1 75	
Frank Shutts, labor	1 75	
Walter J. Farrar, lumber	30 99	
James W. Prichard, labor	3 50	
John H. Grimes, oak plank	132 00	
R. G. Crooker, lumber	2 56	
B. F. Kemp, oak stringers	41 12	
J. W. Prichard, labor	2 00	
W. F. Bennett, agent, labor, nails, etc.	24 09	
James Hartson, labor	75	
Charles H. Clement, labor	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$1095 31

CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

G. H. Davis, labor	\$5 00	
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OLD HOME WEEK.

Paid Committee	\$150 00	
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FOREST FIRE ACCOUNT.

E. C. Newman, services and expenses \$343 12

\$343 12

PERMANENT HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS.

Frank W. Brown, surveying		\$ 9 66
John Inglis, 6 days' labor		10 50
S. Willette, 5 " "		8 75
John McWilliams, 6 1-2 days labor		11 38
E. Marcotte, 5 " "		8 75
F. A. Pero, 6 1-2 " "		11 38
F. A. Wilson, 6 1-2 " "		11 38
Geo. H. Clark, 6 " "		10 50
A. G. Thornton, 6 1-2 " "		11 38
Frank Gilroy, 6 " "		10 50
E. Stinson, 6 " "		10 50
F. D. Adams, 5 " "		8 75
A. C. Hoyt, 5 " "		8 75
Ed Kane, 4 1-2 " "		7 88
Charles Cram, 5 1-2 " "		9 63
P. M. Whelpley, 6 1-2 " "		11 38
J. Sullivan, 6 " "		10 50
F. J. Valley, 5 " "		8 75
George Grinnell, 1 " "		1 75
J. A. Goodwin, 6 " "		10 50
E. J. Douglas, 6 " "		10 50
George Buswell, 5 " "		8 75
Mark Buttrick, 5 1-2 " "		9 63
F. B. Ives, 4 1-2 " "		7 88
Charles Manley, 6 " "		10 50
Elbert Clough, 4 " "		7 00
C. H. Smith, 4 " "		7 00
Leon Nelson, 3 1-5 " "		5 60
C. H. Lacey, 3 " "		5 25
G. W. Gilcreast, 4 " "		7 00

Vincent Skillen,	3	"	"	\$5 25
James Ashford,	3	"	"	5 25
D. S. Abbott,	5 1-2	"	"	9 63
H. C. Pye,	5	"	"	8 75
A. B. Owen,	5 1-2	"	"	9 63
H. A. Hoyt,	5	"	"	8 75
C. L. Dow,	3 1-2	"	"	6 13
H. M. Cote,	3	"	"	5 25
H. A. Pringle,	5	"	"	8 75
L. G. Rawson,	3	"	"	5 25
A. McWilliams,	2	"	"	3 50
E. J. Finnegan,	5 1-2	"	"	4 13
L. Willette,	5	"	"	3 75
E. W. Messer,	7 1-2	"	"	13 13
C. J. Storl,	4	"	"	7 00
Fred Duquette,	5	"	"	8 75
Joe Demars,	5	"	"	8 75
F. B. Monroe,	20	"	"	40 00
H. J. Grimes,	labor with team			36 40
W. D. Stevens,	"	"	"	56 80
E. E. Buchanan,	"	"	"	48 40
W. F. Carter,	"	"	"	60 80
W. H. Murdo,	"	"	"	56 80
W. E. Gay,	"	"	"	48 00
P. H. Dodge,	"	"	"	48 00
Frank W. Bennett,	"	"	"	20 00
W. F. Bennett,	"	"	"	154 00
F. L. Nelson, smith's bill				20 02
L. F. Martin, 653 loads grade				65 30
F. E. Merrill, supplies				41 95
W. F. Bennett, agent, town teams, men, etc.				409 75
D. O. Sleeper, labor				3 18
Town of Henniker, use of roller and sprinkler				6 00

Overdraft, money returned to town	\$ 93	
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TOWN HISTORY.

John Goodell, postage	\$1 65	
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MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Martin Whitney, auditors Town School District	\$ 2 00	
E. W. Proctor, teams	5 00	
Wm. Temple, overtax in 1907	4 00	
W. H. Manahan, Jr., views of County Road	9 00	
Ralph G. Smith, complaints and warrants	3 00	
Flanders & Chadwick, printing town reports	130 20	
Eugene C. Rumrill, services as selectman after counting day	12 00	
Chas. S. Flanders, services as selectman after counting day	12 00	
Fred B. Monroe, services as selectman after counting day	15 00	
Geo. W. Lincoln, bond for treasurer	24 00	
Fred B. Monroe, distributing inventory blanks	10 00	
Stephen J. Whitney, labor with team	3 00	
D. W. C. Newman, error in cash reported	25 00	
John L. Shedd, labor with team	3 00	
O. Sargent, labor	15 00	
Eugene C. Rumrill, services as selectman on account	65 00	
Chas. S. Flanders, services as selectman on account	65 00	
Fred B. Monroe, services as selectman on account	75 00	

E. W. Proctor, teams taking inventory	\$18 00
E. C. Eastman, collector's book	2 31
C. H. Clement, damage to fowls by dogs	4 10
J. H. White, for supervisors March election	30 00
Leon E. Annis, repairing shed	24 50
Flanders & Chadwick, printing	9 85
H. C. Hoyt, services as dog constable	30 00
W. H. Wright, stone lifter	21 00
F. B. Kimball, painting police station	32 47
C. F. Butler, stationery	3 65
James M. Ray, services on Town School Board on account	25 00
G. W. Lincoln, wiring town office	4 80
Leon E. Annis, repairing barn	75 07
F. D. Gay, lumber	21 00
Holman & Smith, insurance	4 30
Rodney Smith, taking school census, town district	10 00
G. W. Lincoln, bond for treasurer	12 00
Elsie J. Brockway, services on Town School Board	15 00
H. C. Maxfield, meals at Mar. and Nov. elections	16 00
J. H. White, for supervisors Nov. election	40 80
Humphrey Sullivan, services as ballot inspector	3 00
Geo. W. Gilcreast, services as ballot inspector	3 00
Eugene C. Rumrill, painting shed roof	6 40
Eugene C. Rumrill, building election booths	2 20
S. H. Baker, rent of office	150 00

Rumford Printing Co., order books	\$2 25
W. L. Kelso, reporting births and deaths	4 00
C. F. Butler, stationery	1 53
B. L. Craine, services as ballot inspector	3 00
Alba Childs, rent of hall	70 00
W. P. Grimes, reporting births and deaths	8 25
W. H. Abbott, " " " "	4 25
John L. Cairns, reporting marriages	1 75
S. W. Holman, salary as police justice	200 00
Holman & Smith, legal advice	25 00
Alma C. Wellman, taking school census Special District	8 50
Eugene C. Rumrill, balance for services and expenses as Selectman	109 00
Chas. S. Flanders, balance for services and expenses as Selectman	125 00
Fred B. Monroe, balance for services and expenses as Selectman	110 00
John A. Wood, care of Fuller and Jones burial lots	2 25
W. H. Story, services as town clerk and recording births, deaths and mar- riages	88 75
O. A. Harrington, services as truant of- ficer	10 00
Mary A. Crosby, services on Special Dis- trict School Board	25 00
Flanders & Chadwick, printing	4 40
Geo. W. Haslet, services on Special Dis- trict School Board	25 00
Leon E. Annis, services on Special Dis- trict School Board	25 00
Geo. W. Haslet, for town auditors	12 00
Mary C. Atwood, services on Town School District	40 00

W. H. Dennison, services as treasurer six months	\$ 50 00	
E. W. Proctor, teams	5 50	
James M. Ray, balance for services as member and treasurer, Town School Board	35 00	
Minnie P. Gay, services on Town School Board	15 00	
D. W. C. Newman estate, services as treasurer six months	50 00	
S. H. Baker, moderator for two meetings	15 00	
George S. Bailey, reporting births and deaths	1 50	
Amos A. Wyman, collecting taxes	280 20	
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RECAPITULATION.

State tax	\$2815 00	
County tax	1760 84	
Precinct tax	4500 00	
Special School District	5543 50	
Town School District	3011 89	
School supplies	633 09	
Memorial Day	75 00	
Repairs of highways	5052 41	
Board of Health	98 50	
Town notes and interest paid	4002 53	
Town poor	395 40	
Police expenses	889 55	
Fuller Public Library	500 00	
Maintaining watering troughs	13 50	
Street lighting	1554 06	
Trust fund notes, interest paid	33 00	
Sidewalks and crossings	1095 31	
Cemetery appropriation	5 00	
Permanent highway improvements	1509 66	
Old Home Week	150 00	
Town History	1 65	
Forest Fire account	343 12	
Miscellaneous bills	2398 78	
Abatement of taxes for 1907	34 67	
Abatement of taxes for 1908	65 62	
	<hr/>	\$36482 08

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1908	\$4329 19	
Receipts as per treasurer's report	35726 60	
	<hr/>	\$40055 79

DISBURSEMENTS.

Orders drawn on town treasurer	\$36482 08	
Less order No. 3 not presented	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$36478 08
Cash in treasury	3577 71	
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FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN,

Feb. 15, 1908.

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding town notes	\$35936 88	
Town history appropriation	646 77	
For suppression of moths	50 00	
Permanent highway fund not ex- pended	1882 50	
Order No. 3 not presented for payment	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$38520 15

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury	\$3577 71	
1908 taxes due Amos A. Wyman	1403 11	
	<hr/>	\$4980 82
Town debt Feb. 15, 1909		\$33539 33
Town debt Feb. 15, 1908	\$34123 14	
Town debt Feb. 15, 1909	33539 33	
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Reduction of debt for year		\$583 81
Outstanding trust fund notes	\$7183 98	
Net town debt	33539 33	
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Actual town debt		\$40723 31

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen of the Town of Hillsborough and find the same to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

GEORGE W. HASLET,
LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors.

OUTSTANDING NOTES DRAWING IN- TEREST AT THREE PER CENT.

Note No. 297	Lewis P. Lincoln.....	\$1500 00
300	C. J. or Maribelle Curtis.....	450 00
301	Ella J. Danforth.....	175 00
302	Hillsboro Br. Fire Precinct.....	5238 88
306	Sarah M. Story.....	100 00
312	Samuel W. Holman.....	1500 00
314	William H. Manahan.....	5500 00
315	F. Gertrude Manahan.....	200 00
316	F. Gertrude Manahan.....	100 00
317	Fannie H. Manahan.....	100 00
318	Josie E. Manahan.....	100 00
319	William H. Manahan, Jr.....	100 00
320	Clara B. Miller.....	580 00
321	Ellen L. Hackett.....	1086 00
323	Rodney Smith.....	500 00
324	William S. Loveren.....	200 00
325	Sara Farrar.....	536 00
327	Lorenzo Frankenreiter.....	600 00
333	Jane Perkins.....	400 00
334	Ermina Page.....	181 00
336	Lucinda C. Conn.....	1000 00
337	Henry F. Burnham.....	500 00
340	William Temple.....	500 00
341	Lewis P. Lincoln.....	300 00
342	William H. Manahan.....	1000 00
356	Clara W. Mills.....	500 00
357	Hillsboro Fire Precinct.....	2000 00
359	Frank A. Buttrick....	1000 00

360	John Peterson.....	\$ 800 00
361	Ellen L. Hackett.....	1000 00
362	Isaac F. Wilkins.....	1000 00
366	Charles E. Jones.....	1350 00
367	Mattie M. Bond and Jennie E. Bradford.....	300 00
368	Annie E. Russell.....	250 00
369	Mary I. Hoyt	40 00
371	James M. Ray.....	200 00
372	Lizzie S. Tuttle.....	350 00
375	Sfa Etta Stock.....	400 00
386	Emma A. Felt.....	500 00
388	James M. Ray for Paul J. Ray....	200 00
391	Louise E. Sullivan.....	500 00
393	W. C. Dennison.....	1000 00
395	Mary A. Rutledge.....	300 00
398	Stephen J. Whitney, agent for Harriett Sargent.....	1800 00

\$35936 88



TRUST FUNDS.

The following are the Trust Funds held by the town. We have obtained a certified copy of the clause of each will in which the bequest was made, showing the conditions under which they were received. By request of the Committee raised for this purpose the Selectmen have given the town notes payable to the order of the Selectmen for each bequest not already made promissory.

\$2000.00. . Extract from will of Mark W. Fuller.

Article 4th. I give and bequeath to the town of Hillsborough Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000) to be by said town invested as they deem proper, upon the two following conditions, viz:—First, that the said town shall yearly expend for the benefit of said town and its inhabitants, an amount of money equal to the income of this said bequest, the question as to the way and manner in which it shall be expended to be decided by a vote of the town at any legal meeting, and, Second, that the said town shall forever keep in good and suitable repair and condition the "Fuller Plat" in the cemetery in said town between the "Upper" and "Lower" Villages, and I hereby order and direct my said executrix to pay the same or said sum over to said town as soon as may be after my decease and upon the town accepting the same, upon the stated conditions, otherwise, I order the said sum to be paid to my nephew, Wirt X. Fuller of Boston, Mass.

Accepted by town, March 13, 1877; received in year 1877.

\$1000.00. Extract from will of Sarah C. Fuller.

Article 4. I give and bequeath unto the town of Hillsborough, One Thousand Dollars for the "Fuller Library" established in said town, it being subject to the same conditions from said town that the late Mark W. Fuller

bequest to said town was and is, excepting that the first Selectman of said town shall visit the "Fuller Plat" four times a year forever.

Received in the year 1884.

\$100.00. Extract from will of Maria Travis of Mont Vernon, N. H.

Article 1st. I give to the town of Goffstown and the town of Hillsborough (this state) One Hundred Dollars, each, the interest to be appropriated for all future time to keeping my lots and stones in the cemeteries of said towns in good condition.

Accepted by town, March, 1892; received, Feb. 11, 1893.

\$100.00. Extract from will of Sarah M. Taggart, late of Lowell, Mass.

Article 1st. I give, devise and bequeath to the town of Hillsborough, New Hampshire, the sum of One Hundred Dollars, to be invested and the interest to be expended for the care of the family burial lot in the Hillsborough Lower Village Cemetery.

Received, March 35, 1897.

\$200.00. Extract from the Town Records of meeting, March 8, 1898.

Article 11th. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of Two Hundred Dollars from Caroline M. Burnham, on condition that the town will forever care for the lot and monument in Deering Cemetery known as the Dr. A. C. Burnham Lot.

No will. Accepted March, 1898; received Oct. 19, 1898.

\$100.00. Extract from the will of Catherine W. Bascomb, late of Lynn, Mass.

Article 3d. I give and bequeath to the town of Hillsborough, New Hampshire, the sum of One Hundred Dollars, to be applied to the care and preservation of

my burial lot in the cemetery, situate on the Lower Village, so called.

Accepted by town March, 1899; received May 10, 1899.

\$50.00. Extract from the will of Mary E. M. Smith.

Article 2d. If there shall be any portion of my estate remaining after paying and distributing such sums as shall be necessary for the purposes mentioned in the first item of this will, I give and bequeath to the town of Hillsborough, in the county of Hillsborough and state of New Hampshire, the sum of Fifty Dollars, said town to expend the income of the same in the maintenance and care of my burial lot and that of my deceased husband, Jerry Smith.

Accepted by town March, 1900; received Feb. 11, 1901.

\$2633.98. Extract from the will of Abney Simonds.

Article 5th. The rest, residue and remainder of my estate, of whatever kind, or wherever found or situate, both personal or real estate, if any, after paying all just debts, legacies and expenses of administration of said estate, I give, bequeath and devise to the towns of Windsor and Hillsborough, to be divided equally between said towns. The amount, if any, shall be safely invested by said towns and the income from the amount *shall be used yearly towards paying the yearly expenses of said towns and for no other purposes,* and shall be known as the Abney Simonds fund.

Received Nov. 4, 1899.

\$100.00. Extract from the will of George C. Richardson

Article 12th. I give and bequeath unto the town of Hillsborough in the County of Hillsborough and State of New Hampshire, the sum of One Hundred Dollars in trust, the income to be used for the benefit and care of my lot, situate in the cemetery between the Lower and Upper Villages.

Accepted by town March, 1903; received April 4,
1903.

\$100.00.

Bequest of Abby C. Murdough of One Hundred Dollars, the income to be paid to the M. E. Church Society at Hillsborough Center. Note dated May 1st, 1883, payable on demand to the Selectmen of Hillsborough, or order, on file in the Selectmen's office.

\$100.00. Bequest of the will of Mrs. Wm. H. Gray.

"And I order my executor to keep in trust One Hundred dollars, the income to be used to pay for looking after and care of the Wm. H. Gray plat in the cemetery in Hillsborough and for care of said money is not required to give any bond."

This fund was left to John M. Curtis and on his death was turned over to the town.

\$200.00. Extract from the will of James A. Tuttle.

Article 1st. I give and bequeath to the Town of Hillsborough, in said County of Hillsborough, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, the income of the same to be used by said town annually in the care and maintenance of the James M. Tuttle burial lot at Pine Hill cemetery, so-called, at Hillsborough Lower Village, in said town of Hillsborough.

Accepted by town March 13, 1906; received June 29, 1907.

\$400.00. Extract from will of Sarah A. Grimes.

Article 2d. I give, devise and bequeath to the town of Hillsborough, N. H., the sum of Four Hundred dollars, but in trust nevertheless for the following purposes and upon the following terms and conditions, viz: that said town shall forever keep in good condition and repair the family burial lot of my father, Eben Jones, in the cemetery near the old Baptist church in said town of Hillsborough. That the Board of Selectmen of said

Town, or at least one member of said board, shall visit said lot during the first week in May, during the first week in July and during the first week in October of each year, and at such other times as may become necessary to inspect said lot, cut the grass, keep the stones and monument in order and make such repairs as may become necessary. If said town of Hillsborough declines to accept said fund or having accepted said trust fails to carry out the foregoing provisions, then and in that event said trust shall terminate and said trust fund shall revert back to my estate and shall be divided between my six children now living, in equal shares.

Accepted by town March 12, 1907; received April 13, 1907.

\$100.00. Extract from the Town Records of meeting,
March 10, 1908.

Article 10th. To see if the town will vote to accept from Charlotte Towne the sum of One Hundred dollars (\$100.00), the income to be used in caring for the Ebenezer Towne burial lot in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Accepted March 10, 1908; received April, 1908.

CHARLES S. FLANDERS,

FRED B. MONROE,

EUGENE C. RUMRILL,

Selectmen of Hillsborough.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER.

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1908	\$4329 19
Rec'd from state treasurer, insurance tax	3 75
Rec'd from state treasurer, railroad tax	227 68
" " " " savings bank tax	375 ¹ 28
Rec'd from state treasurer, literary fund	239 40
" " " " school fund	418 25
" " " " high school tuition	39 16
Rec'd from state license commission	608 65
Justice of police court	271 38
Fred B. Monroe, selectman, concreting	10 00
Charlotte Towne, burial lot bequest	100 00
Selectmen, borrowed money	1000 00
W. H. Story, town clerk, dog licenses	432 54
W. H. Story, town clerk, billiard and pool licenses	49 50
Leon B. Proctor, treasurer of Old Home Week Com., balance unexpended	1 52
Geo. W. Haslet, treas., balance interest on Burnham bequest	3 00
Fred B. Monroe, for grade sold	117 00
Fred B. Monroe, for show licenses	6 00
Alton C. Colby, labor of town teams	72 00

W. F. Bennett, overdraft	\$ 99 55	
W. F. Bennett, labor of town teams	166 45	
W. F. Bennett, dynamite sold	13 52	
W. F. Bennett, barn rent	31 00	
Collector of taxes, (1907)	3 45	
Collector of taxes, (1907 abatements)	34 67	
Collector of taxes, (1908)	27942 06	
Collector of taxes, (1908 int.)	18 24	
Collector of taxes, (1908 abatements)	65 62	
Fred B. Monroe, selectman, overdraft on Permanent Highway account	93	
	—————	\$40055 79

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid State tax	\$2815 00	
Paid County tax	1760 84	
Paid miscellaneous orders	31902 24	
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1909	3577 71	
	—————	\$40055 79

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. DENNISON,

Town Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts
of the Treasurer of the Town of Hillsborough and find the
same to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors of Hillsborough.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

ALTON C. COLBY, AGENT.

FEBRUARY, 1908.

Fred Martin, 25 days labor	\$43 75
Joe Blake, labor	1 00
Richard Labier, labor	75
A. C. Colby, hay	20 65
Electric Light & Power Co.	1 00
Frank Colby, labor	4 00
James H. White, smith bill	16 00
W. C. Dennison, grain	31 16
N. B. Peaslee, hay	18 32
Leonard Martin, gravel	1 50
A. C. Colby, horse hire	6 00
A. C. Colby, stove	2 00
Edd Kane, cleaning walk	2 60
A. C. Colby, salary	50 00
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	\$198 73

BREAKING ROADS.

W. F. Bennett, roller	\$24 00
F. W. Bennett, roller	16 00
Geo. G. Morgan, roller	123 00
F. D. Gay, roller	120 00
Nathan E. Farrar, breaking roads	9 35
Elberton E. Farrar, " "	3 60
Patrick Green, " "	8 45
D. E. Stackpole, shoveling	45
S. J. Whitney, breaking roads	5 00
Leonard White, cutting ice road	2 00
Chester Smith, shoveling snow	1 50
E. F. Hoyt, breaking roads	75

Noah Murdo, breaking roads	\$ 7 20	
Mark Murdo, " "	2 50	
H. A. White, " "	1 50	
Walter Murdo, breaking roads	5 15	
Rolland T. Abbott, breaking roads	9 65	
	<hr/>	\$340 10

MARCH.

Fred J. Martin, 26 days labor	\$45 80	
Ben Labier, labor	3 50	
John Bush, "	1 50	
Charles Wilkins, clipping horses	4 00	
Electric light bills	2 00	
J. W. Bradshaw, repairing	2 70	
E. T. Proctor, labor	5 00	
W. C. Dennison, grain	30 78	
W. E. Newman, labor	50	
F. E. Merrill	52	
James H. White, smith bill	3 20	
Charles Goodwin, labor	4 00	
A. C. Colby, hay	8 94	
A. C. Colby, salary	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$162 44
Money earned with team	\$58 00	
Money received for keeping horse	6 00	
Amount received for manure	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$72 00

ALTON C. COLBY, Highway Agent.

WILLIAM F. BENNETT, AGENT.

APRIL.

W. F. Russell, veterinary	\$8 00
J. C. Chamberlain, labor	4 00
Fred Martin, "	42 87
Jas. Prichard, "	2 25
W. McWilliams, "	10 50
E. W. Proctor, team hire	75

A. McWilliams, labor	\$ 5 25
J. B. Varick Co., dynamite caps	4 50
Express on caps	30
W. E. Newman, weighing hay	20
S. O. Gibson, veterinary service	1 00
Contoocook Mills Co., lumber	40
Freight on dynamite	1 14
Freight on repairs for machine	27
F. A. McClintock, labor	2 00
A. C. Colby	47 66
J. H. Hudson	45 50
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00
J. H. White, blacksmith	18 23
F. L. Nelson, "	16 77
F. E. Merrill	44 28
W. C. Dennison, grain	28 62
W. F. Bennett, teaming	11 00
J. W. Bradshaw, repairs	6 50
Charles Goodwin, labor	4 00
Frank George, "	3 50
Ernest Elgar, "	2 62
J. B. Varick Co., dynamite	23 00

MAY.

W. F. Bennett, hay	\$44 00
E. Elgar, labor	10 50
L. E. Annis, labor on bridge	1 96
M. E. Hixson, grain	3 15
F. J. Gibson, "	3 00
J. H. White, smith's bill	5 63
W. C. Dennison, grain	32 25
F. E. Merrill, supplies	10 60
W. Bennett, salary	50 00
A. C. Colby	47 67
J. Hudson	45 50

Fred Martin	\$39 37
Frank Smith	26 25
Charles Goodwin	43 00
Charles Crooker	27 12
Frank George	36 75
Arthur Rowe	15 75
Will Murdo	38 50
Arthur Walbridge	17 50
Will McWilliams	11 37
F. E. Skinner, boarding teams	3 00
Fred Brockway, " "	3 00
Albert Burnham, " "	6 00
W. F. Bennett, use of horse	15 00
F. L. Nelson, smith's bill	12 58
P. R. Russell, hay	1 56
W. F. Bennett, teaming	58 00
C. S. Flanders, lumber	13 00
F. W. Bennett, 1 day's labor with team	4 00
Electric Light Co., April and May	2 00
D. O. Sleeper, labor on manhole	14 90
JUNE.	
F. J. Gibson, supplies	\$ 1 20
W. J. Bryant, stone work	20 25
L. F. Wilson, boarding team	6 00
E. C. Rumrill, setting glass	2 00
John Grinnell, boarding team	3 00
W. F. Bennett, hay	68 22
W. C. Dennison, grain	39 81
F. E. Merrill, supplies	56 46
J. H. White, smith's bill	6 35
F. L. Nelson, " "	15 10
Electric Light Co.	1 00
F. D. Gay, repairs on road machine	31 50
W. F. Bennett, labor with teams	118 00

Will Murdo, labor with teams	\$80 50
A. C. Colby, "	47 67
Jas. Hudson, "	45 50
Fred Martin, "	42 00
Frank Smith, "	49 00
A. Walbridge, "	40 25
A. Rowe, "	37 62
Frank George, "	43 75
Will McWilliams, labor	42 87
Charles Crooker, "	41 12
Charles Smith, "	37 62
Charles Goodwin, "	50 00
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00
P. R. Russell, hay	1 38
J. W. Bradshaw, repairs	3 50
D. O. Sleeper, labor on manhole	2 25
F. D. Gay, labor	1 25

JULY.

Charles Williard, labor	\$ 1 75
E. C. Newman, painting	2 00
Ira S. Appleton, lumber	50
Charles Crooker, labor	3 50
Will McWilliams, "	41 12
Arthur Walbridge, "	32 37
Frank Smith, "	42 00
Jas. Hudson, "	38 50
A. C. Colby, "	49 40
Fred Martin, "	5 25
Will Murdo, team labor	7 00
Frank George, "	5 25
Charles Goodwin, "	6 00
John A. Barclay, blacksmith	2 00
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00
Fred Nelson, blacksmith	18 19

J. H. White, blacksmith	\$14 76
W. C. Dennison, grain	37 02
F. E. Merrill, supplies	56 01
K. D. Pierce, hay	41 75
F. W. Bennett, bedding	4 20
Freight on stone cutter	25
Electric Light Co.	1 00
Frank Burbank, 21 loads dirt	2 10
W. F. Bennett, use of horse	15 00
E. W. Proctor, boarding team	18 00
W. F. Bennett, teaming	40 00

AUGUST.

C. B. Gammell, cutting bushes	\$ 1 50
J. W. Bradshaw, repairing	1 25
Freight on dynamite	1 00
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00
F. L. Nelson, blacksmith	7 10
J. H. White, "	5 00
W. C. Dennison, grain	37 08
F. E. Merrill, supplies	6 64
A. C. Colby, 26 days' labor	47 77
Jas. Hudson, "	33 25
Chas. Smith, "	22 75
Electric Light Co.	1 00
W. E. Newman	12 91
J. B. Varick Co., dynamite	11 50
W. F. Bennett, 7½ days' teaming	30 00
F. M. Parker, lumber	83 50
F. W. Bennett, hay	82 42
W. McWilliams, 6½ days' labor	11 37
A. Walbridge, 5 " "	8 75
F. Smith, 11 " "	19 25
C. Eaton, 6½ " "	11 37
Chas. Crooker, 14 " "	24 50

F. George, $4\frac{1}{2}$	days labor	\$ 7 87
A. Rowe, 1	" "	1 75
Chas. Goodwin, $2\frac{1}{2}$	" "	5 00
Tom Devoy, labor with team		5 05
W. F. Bennett, use of horse		15 00

SEPTEMBER.

H. P. Colby, lumber	\$ 5 00
Electric Light Co.	2 08
F. W. Bennett, 1 day's work	4 00
James Jones, dirt	2 00
Ed Hoyt, labor	7 00
John H. Grimes, lumber	5 84
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00
W. H. Shurtleff, filing saws	40
J. H. White, smith's bill	2 30
W. C. Dennison, grain	42 85
F. E. Merrill, supplies	5 23
F. L. Nelson, smith's bill	4 56
A. C. Colby, salary	45 83
Frank Smith, "	43 75
Arthur Walbridge, salary	38 50
W. F. Bennett, 1 day's work team	4 00
Charles Goodwin, salary	20 00
Frank George, "	21 00
A. Rowe, "	18 37
Will McWilliams	5 25
W. F. Bennett, use of horse	5 00

OCTOBER.

Electric Light Co.	\$ 1 00
N. F. Murdo, labor with team	5 60
E. T. Proctor, " " "	10 00
Albert Burnham, lumber	6 00
H. G. Brown, maintaining light	50
Will Young, " "	1 00

A. C. Colby, salary	\$49 50
Frank Smith, "	47 25
W. F. Bennett, "	50 00
Frank George	5 25
Charles Goodwin	2 00
Charles Smith	1 75
Charles Crooker	1 75
W. C. Dennison, grain	41 47
C. S. Flanders, railing	15 45
F. L. Nelson, smith bill	1 45
F. E. Merrill, supplies	1 64
Frank Coburn, grade	3 20

NOVEMBER.

C. H. Buck & Co., guideboards	\$15 00
Freight on guideboards	27
Electric Light	1 00
H. B. Burbank, grade	2 00
Holman & Smith, insurance	18 00
A. C. Colby, salary	45 83
Frank Smith, "	31 50
Frank George	5 25
Fred Nelson, blacksmith	3 45
J. H. White, "	10 10
W. C. Dennison, grain	35 36
F. E. Merrill, supplies	4 34
J. W. Bradshaw, repairs	9 10
W. F. Bennett, 2 pairs blankets	12 00
R. G. Crooker, lumber	3 00
W. E. Newman, labor on fountains	1 65
N. E. Farrar, labor	8 25
O. S. Huntley, "	2 00
R. T. Abbott, labor with teams and men	32 28
W. F. Bennett, salary	50 00

 \$3960 84

DECEMBER.

C. S. Kimball, hay	\$39 48
W. C. Dennison, grain	34 24
F. L. Nelson, blacksmith	5 59
J. H. White, "	2 30
Electric Light Co.	1 00
F. E. Halladay, blanket	1 60
Edgar Harvey, gravel	5 50
Leonard Martin, "	21 50
C. M. Worthley, "	30
A. C. Colby, salary	49 50
W. F. Bennett, "	50 00
W. E. Newman, weighing hay	20

JANUARY, 1909.

Electric Light Co.	\$ 1 00
F. E. Merrill, supplies	89
F. L. Nelson, blacksmith	2 12
J. H. White, "	5 50
J. W. Bradshaw, repairing	2 45
W. C. Dennison, grain	25 45
C. S. Kimball, hay	28 91
W. E. Newman, weighing hay	10
C. S. Perry & Co., medicine	3 10
A. C. Colby, salary	47 66
W. F. Bennett, "	50 00

 \$378 39

BREAKING ROADS.

C. F. Melendy	\$ 8 00
F. W. Bennett	4 00
Will Murdo	4 00
E. Buchanan	4 00
Will Stevens	4 00
W. F. Bennett	12 00

 \$36 00

WILLIAM F. BENNETT, Agent.

SUMMARY.

Received from Selectmen	\$5052 41	
Received for work by teams, dynamite, etc., sold	344 52	
Received barn rent	37 00	
Amount overpaid to treasurer	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$5434 93
Paid breaking road bills	\$376 10	
Winter work	739 56	
Summer work	3936 75	
Treasurer barn rent	37 00	
Treasurer amount earned by town teams, etc.	345 52	
	<hr/>	\$5434 93

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Highway Agents and find them correct and properly vouched for.

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors.

POLICE COURT REPORT.

Fees, fines and costs received year ending Feb. 15, 1909

Nature of Cases.	No. of Cases.	
Drunkenness	46	\$184 70
Assault and battery	6	29 66
Cruelty to animals	5	4 50
Defrauding boarding house keeper	6	19 00
Larceny	4	17 87
Miscellaneous	13	13 49
Civil Cases	2	1 00
Copies furnished county		4 00
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	82	\$274 22
Paid E. W. Baker, Esq., fees as justice	\$ 2 84	
Paid town treasurer	271 38	
	<hr/>	\$274 22

SAMUEL W. HOLMAN, Justice.

REPORT OF AMOS A. WYMAN,
TAX COLLECTOR, 1908.

DEBTOR.

Uncollected taxes as per last report		\$1062 37
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CREDITOR.

Paid town treasurer	\$1027 70	
Paid abatements to treasurer	34 67	
	<hr/>	\$1062 37
Interest paid treasurer	\$24 95	

1908.

DEBTOR.

Amount of taxes to be collected as per tax book		\$28361 59
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CREDITOR.

Paid town treasurer	\$26892 86	
Paid abatements to treasurer	65 62	
Uncollected taxes	1403 11	
	<hr/>	\$28361 59
Interest paid treasurer	\$18 24	

Respectfully submitted,

AMOS A. WYMAN, Collector.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts
of the Tax Collector and find the same to be correct.

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON E. ANNIS,

Auditors.

TAXES ABATED TO AMOS A. WYMAN, COLLECTOR, 1908.

Geo. F. Dane, paid in Antrim	\$2 32
Chas. Ellinwood, paid in Antrim	2 32
Percy Peabody, " " "	2 32
Bertie Bassett, under age	2 32
Thomas Fitzpatrick, under age	2 32
Ladis Love, " "	2 32
Lyman Butterfield, soldier	2 32
Fred Colby, abated	1 16
W. D. Forsaith, overtax	2 32
Charles Hoyt, left town	2 32
E. O. Hutchinson, left town	2 32
Prentice W. Whittemore, under age	2 32
Lindsey H. Young, " "	2 32
Paul Harrington, paid in Derry	2 32
Geo. F. Ladeau, paid in Warren	2 32
B. F. Houston, abated	2 32
W. H. Manahan, Jr., overtax	2 32
Harry Newman, paid in Washington	2 32
Morris Page, out of precinct	39
Charlotte Ramsey, overtax	1 16
Frank Roby, paid in Washington	2 32
Alfred Rowe, paid in Henniker	1 93
Fred Webster, paid in Concord	2 32
Herbert Sargent, dead	1 93
John Zwisko, can't be found	2 32
Ella M. Gordon, overtax	3 86
M. M. Hadley, overtax	2 71
James F. Grimes, overtax	1 44
Charles Bullard, left town	2 32
Ernest Heath, under age	2 32

 \$65 62

REPORT OF S. H. BAKER, OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

TOWN AID.

DEBTOR.

Received from town treasurer	\$370 40
CREDITOR.	

Aid furnished to town poor and dependent soldiers and their families	\$370 40
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COUNTY AID.

DEBTOR.

Received from county treasurer	\$291 57
CREDITOR.	

Aid furnished to county poor and dependent soldiers and their families	\$291 57
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Respectfully submitted,

S. H. BAKER,

Overseer of the Poor.

Hillsboro, N. H., Feb. 15, 1909.

REPORT OF LEON B. PROCTOR, TREASURER OF OLD HOME WEEK COMMITTEE.

Band services	\$50 00	
Ball game	25 00	
Banner, "Welcome Home"	12 50	
Invitations and printing	26 55	
Postage	8 47	
Labor and teams	8 10	
Speakers' expenses	6 00	
Bunting and flags	3 73	
Labor on speakers' stand	3 40	
Telephoning	1 80	
Express	70	
Rope, twine and staples	2 23	
Unexpended balance	1 52	
		\$150 00
Appropriation		\$150 00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Hillsborough, N. H.:

The Board of Health begs leave to report that, with the exception of two cases of diphtheria and a few cases of measles of mild type, this community has been free from infectious or contagious diseases, a fact very gratifying to your Board. There have also been fewer calls for the abatement of nuisances than usual.

The general sanitary condition of the town is satisfactory, the water supply well cared for and we hope for a continuance of the present favorable conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN GOODELL,
WARREN P. GRIMES,
LEON E. ANNIS,

Board of Health. '



REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CEMET- TERIES.

BALDWIN LOT.

CR.

By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$5 05	
By income from bequest	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$8 05

DR.

To-cash paid for care	\$ 75	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	7 30	
	<hr/>	\$8 05

SARAH M. TAGGART LOT.

CR.

By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$6 80	
By income from bequest	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$9 80

DR.

To cash paid for care	\$ 50	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	9 30	
	<hr/>	\$9 80

A. C. BURNHAM LOT.

CR.

By income from bequest	\$6 00
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DR.

To cash paid for care	\$3 00	
Paid W. H. Dennison, Treas.	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 00

CATHERINE M. BASCOMB LOT.

CR.

By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$6 30	
By income from bequest	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$9 30

DR.

To cash paid for care	\$ 75	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	8 55	
	<hr/>	\$9 30

MARY E. M. SMITH LOT.

CR.		
By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$1 75	
By income from bequest	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$3 25
DR.		
To cash paid for care	\$1 00	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	2 25	
	<hr/>	\$3 25

GEORGE G. RICHARDSON LOT.

CR.		
By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$3 30	
By income from bequest	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 30
DR.		
To cash paid for care	\$ 75	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	5 55	
	<hr/>	\$6 30

WM. H. GRAY LOT.

CR.		
By cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$3 80	
By income from bequest	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 80
DR.		
To cash paid for care	\$ 75	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	6 05	
	<hr/>	\$6 80

JAMES M. TUTTLE LOT.

CR.		
By income from bequest		\$6 00
DR.		
To cash paid for care two years	\$2 00	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 00

GEORGE W. HASLET,

LEON E. ANNIS,

JAMES M. RAY,

Committee.

REPORT OF FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1909.

Number of volumes in library Feb. 15,	
1908,	5130
Worn out and rejected	226
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	4904
New books purchased	113
Renewals	68
Gifts	24
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Volumes in library Feb. 15, 1909	5109
Circulation for the year :	
Fiction	12704
Non-fiction	1218

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

DR.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$ 39 00
Rec'd from town—appropriation	500 00
Rec'd from librarian for fines	31 00
Rec'd for books damaged	4 00

CR.

Paid for lighting	\$ 13 78
supplies	2 40
fuel	7 75
insurance	64 50
books	155 73
printing	3 40
rent	96 00
re-binding	28 92
express	3 10
librarian, services and extra	
work cataloguing	158 00
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1909	40 42
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	\$574 00
	\$574 00

Stephenson fund on hand Feb. 15, 1909	\$1037 71
LEON S. HILL, GEORGE W. HASLET, CHARLES S. FLANDERS, FRED B. MONROE, EUGENE C. RUMRILL, <div style="text-align: right;">Trustees.</div>	

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Feb. 15, 1909.

DOG LICENSES.

Whole number issued, 189		
Total amount of cash collected	\$470 34	
Less clerk's fees	37 80	
	<hr/>	\$432 54
Have paid Town Treasurer Newman	\$325 00	
Have paid Town Treasurer Dennison	107 54	
	<hr/>	\$432 54

POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES.

Whole number licenses granted, 11		
Total amount cash collected	\$55 00	
Less clerk's fees	5 50	
	<hr/>	\$49 50
Have paid Treasurer Newman	\$ 9 00	
Have paid Treasurer Dennison	40 50	
	<hr/>	\$49 50

WILLIAM H. STORY,
Town Clerk.

Moderator,
STILLMAN H. BAKER.

CHARLES S. PERRY, LOREN S. NICHOLS
AMMY O. GOULD.

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WILLIAM H. STORY.

EMMONS C. NEWMAN.

WILLIAM E. NEWMAN.

EUGENE C. RUMRILL.

GEO. E. WYMAN, CHARLES A. JONES,
W. O. STORY,
STILLMAN H. BAKER, JOHN B. SMITH

GEO. W. HASLET, LEON E. ANNIS,
WILLIAM H. DENNISON.

PRECINCT WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Hillsborough Bridge Village Fire Precinct in the Town of Hillsborough qualified to vote in Precinct affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows Hall in said Precinct on Monday, the fifteenth day of March, 1909, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose one or more Water Commissioners to serve five years.
3. To choose three Fire Commissioners, Treasurer, Clerk, Auditors, and other necessary Precinct officers for the ensuing year.
4. To hear the report of the Commissioners, Treasurer, Clerk, Auditors, and other officers and committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
5. To see if the Precinct will vote to raise the pay of the firemen from twenty-five cents per hour to forty cents per hour for time spent by them at fires, or pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To see if the Precinct will vote to establish the salary of the Chief Engineer and of each of his assistants, or pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To see if the Hillsborough Bridge Village Fire Precinct will vote to raise the dam at Loon Pond two feet and raise money to pay for same, or pass any vote relating thereto.
8. To see what action the Precinct will take in regard to sprinkling the streets and raise money therefor, or pass any vote relating thereto.

9. To see if the Precinct will vote to build and maintain a sewer on Woodlawn Avenue and raise money therefor, or pass any vote relating thereto.

10. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for paying the current expenses of the Precinct, the debt of the Precinct, and any other necessary charges arising within said Precinct.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and nine.

CHARLES S. PERRY,
LOREN E. NICHOLS,
AMMY O. GOULD,

Board of Fire Commissioners.



REPORT OF THE FIRE COMMISSIONERS

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1909.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Feb. 15, 1908.

Balance on hand	\$1093 22
Borrowed from W. C. Dennison	1200 00
“ “ First National Bank	2000 00
“ “ “ “ “	600 00
“ “ Hillsboro Centre M. E. Church on account of sewer	700 00
Borrowed from Loren E. Nichols on account of sewer	125 78
Cash from F. W. Bennett for stove sold	3 00
Borrowed from Sarah A. Perry	1000 00
Received from Selectmen for current expenses	500 00
Received from Selectmen for hydrant rental	1000 00
Received from Selectmen for sewer bonds	2000 00
Received from Selectmen for precinct debt	1000 00
	<hr/> \$11222 00

HAVE ISSUED ORDERS ON TREASURER AS FOLLOWS:

Contoocook Mills Co., bell for fire alarm	\$87 60
F. B. Kimball, work at hose house	3 75
A. O. Gould, care of hose house and cash paid out	4 75
C. S. Perry, charging fire extinguishers	1 50
L. E. Annis, labor and material on hose tower	226 65
D. O. Sleeper, labor at fire house	50

F. W. Bennett, moving safe	\$ 3 00
James W. Prichard, work on sewer	2 25
John W. Bush, labor on hose tower	2 50
Stephen J. Whitney, payment of note and interest	1214 50
Arthur W. Forbes, surveying sewer	7 50
Fred Hartshorn, labor on precinct lot	3 25
W. E. Newman, 1000 ft. Akron pipe	72 00
Hillsboro Electric Light & Power Co., lights at hose house to May 1, '08	3 75
Flanders & Chadwick, printing	5 71
Electric Goods Mfg. Co., coppers, jars, etc.,	24 46
F. W. Bennett, carting pipe and freight bill	4 59
Hilton Coupling Co., automatic coupling	16 00
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, payment, two sewer bonds	2000 00
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, interest on sewer bonds	180 00
F. E. Merrill, shovels and pick handles	13 75
F. E. Merrill, paint	2 50
E. C. Newman, pay roll sewer account	325 29
James W. Prichard, services on sewer	22 50
D. O. Sleeper, labor and material on sewer	27 70
E. C. Newman, services as chief engin- eer and janitor	38 10
F. E. Merrill, tools for sewer	12 33
L. E. Annis, shingling tower and ma- terial	14 82
W. F. Bennett, dynamite and caps	7 97
W. F. Bennett, teaming sand	19 05
Arthur W. Forbes, surveying Church and School Sts. sewers	88 46

W. E. Newman, supplies for hose house	\$ 2 05
F. W. Bennett, trucking for sewer	3 61
W. E. Newman, labor and material on sewer	67 70
Thomas Gray, board for A. W. Forbes	22 50
Geo. W. Lincoln, labor on fire alarm	16 20
F. L. Nelson, sharpening tools on sewer	6 80
Colby Bros., 2500 bricks for sewer	12 50
A. L. Mansfield, payment treasurer's bond	50 00
E. C. Rumrill, painting tower at hose house	40 00
J. B. Smith, 200 brick for sewer	1 00
E. C. Newman, posting fire laws in precinct	1 50
Hoagland & Mansfield, blue vitrol	30 25
W. E. Newman, labor and material, old sewer	32 80
Contoocook Mills Co., stakes for sewer	1 50
Mary Brown, land damage	1 00
Emma Locke, land damage	50 00
W. H. Parker, damage to property	5 00
Holman & Smith, legal advice	5 70
Hillsboro Electric Light & Power Co., lights at hose house to Oct. 1, '08	2 73
Stephen J. Whitney, interest on note	36 00
F. E. Halladay, keys for fire house	1 50
G. W. Grinnell, cutting bushes on sewer	3 00
F. B. Monroe, covering sewer pipe	69 90
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, note and in- terest	609 20
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, interest on bonds to June 1, 1909	140 00
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, note and in- terest	2040 00

A. L. Mansfield, cashier, int. on note	\$ 100 00
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, in part pay- ment of note	1000 00
Western Electric Co., zincs and coppers	16 80
Stephen J. Whitney, on acct., note given Oct. 5, 1907	1000 00
Stephen J. Whitney, interest on note to date	9 75
D. O. & G. F. Sleeper, labor and mate- rial at fire house	75
Alba Childs, hall for precinct meeting, March 16, 1908	5 00
F. W. Bennett, freight	75
Holman & Smith, legal advice	3 00
George VanDommele, clerk for precinct	10 00
E. C. Newman, janitor and chief en- gineer to Jan. 1, 1909	25 00
W. E. Newman, repairing and shutting off water	75
George VanDommele, pay roll Hook & Ladder Co.	103 75
E. C. Newman, labor and material on precinct grounds	13 21
F. W. Bennett, freight on hose	47
C. S. Perry & Co., charging fire extin- guishers, etc.	4 70
Harry A. Hoyt, pay roll Eagle Hose Co.	117 58
Henry K. Barnes, 150 ft. hose	87 00
W. H. Story, services as treasurer	20 50
E. C. Rumrill, repairs at fire house	1 85
E. C. Rumrill, care of fire alarm to May 1, 1908	12 00
L. E. Nichols, services as clerk, deeds, postage, etc.	6 92

C. S. Perry, services as commissioner, express, postage and chief engineer's badge	\$27 27	
L. E. Nichols, services as commissioner	25 00	
A. O. Gould, " " "	25 00	
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Total orders paid out	\$10306 22	
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	915 78	
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		\$11222 00

WATER ACCOUNT.

Feb. 15, 1908, balance on hand	\$2615 40	
Borrowed from First National Bank to pay interest on water bonds	1000 00	
Received from Water Commissioners, water rates	5239 59	
Received from Selectmen, hydrant rental	1000 00	
Received from Selectmen, interest on town notes (Sinking Fund)	217 17	
Interest on bonds " "	616 36	
Interest on Savings Bank deposit, Sinking Fund	49 60	
Received from Savings Bank, for reinvestment (Sinking Fund)	1500 00	
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		\$12238 12

HAVE DRAWN ORDERS ON TREASURER AS FOLLOWS:

W. O. Story, services as supt. and cash paid out	\$105 25
D. W. C. Newman, collecting water rent to Aug. 1, 1908	25 75

B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	\$ 5 40
H. F. Gould, inspection of reservoir to Jan. 27, 1908	20 00
Richards & Co., for metals	86 22
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, for New York City Bonds (Sinking Fund)	3116 63
Walworth Mfg. Co., 100 lbs. Jute packing	5 28
E. W. Proctor, teams	7 50
B. E. Newman, care water pipe	23 30
Thomas Gray, board for Forbes and Sullivan	20 75
Surveying water works	77 40
James W. Pritchard, helper for Forbes	11 25
Thompson & Hoague, one doz. picks	5 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on water pipe	49 75
E. W. Proctor, teams	1 00
C. B. Gardner, printing and post cards	2 50
B. E. Newman, services and cash paid out	32 47
Charles Miller & Son Co., iron pipe	465 07
C. H. Batchelder, tent and fly	17 50
W. O. Story, labor on water works	473 48
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on water pipe	77 00
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, interest on water bonds	900 00
Charles Miller & Son Co., water pipe	709 34
F. W. Bennett, hauling water pipe	43 25
E. C. Newman, painting hydrants	3 00
W. F. Bennett, drawing water pipe	12 00
W. H. Wright, Eureka stone lifter	21 00
F. L. Nelson, sharpening tools water works	5 35

J. B. Kemp, labor with team	\$ 16 25
W. E. Newman, material for water works	9 48
John L. Shedd, wood	6 00
Kimball & Roach, rubber boots	6 75
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	16 15
E. W. Proctor, teams	30 25
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, payment of note and interest	1004 22
Smith & Anthony, tapping bands	1 70
W. E. Newman, material	3 50
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	13 77
H. F. Gould, care of reservoir to Aug. 1, 1908	17 50
Smith & Anthony, tapping bands	5 10
Flanders & Chadwick, printing	6 50
B. E. Newman, repairs	22 80
Chas. Brockway, collecting water rent to Feb. 1, 1909	25 50
C. B. Gardner, printing 500 envelopes	1 35
B. E. Newman, repairs on water works	33 92
B. E. Newman, repairs on water works	34 90
Churcher Mfg. Co., aquaphone and postage	2 58
A. L. Mansfield, cashier, interest on water bonds to Jan. 1, 1909	900 00
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	33 70
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	56 09
Sanitas Mfg. Co., supplies	4 75
W. E. Newman, supplies	8 75
C. B. Gardner, printing	10 00
Holman & Smith, premium on collector's bond	5 00
B. E. Newman, labor and cash paid out	61 64
Transferred from water acc't. to general acc't.	1000 00

Deposited in Savings Bank as part of Sinking Fund	\$ 883 13
Total paid out, water account	\$10543 72
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	1694 40
	<u>\$12238 12</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts for the Year Ending Feb. 15th, 1909.

General account	\$11222 00
Water account	12238 12
Total receipts	<u>\$23460 12</u>

EXPENDITURES.

General account	\$10306 22
Water account	10543 72
Total expenditures	<u>\$20849 94</u>
Total balance	\$2610 18

FINANCIAL STANDING OF PRECINCT.

Outstanding water bonds	\$45000 00
Outstanding sewer bonds	7000 00
Outstanding note, S. J. Whitney	200 00
Outstanding note, First National Bank	1500 00
Outstanding note, W. C. Dennison	1200 00
Outstanding note, Hillsboro Centre M. E. church	700 00
Outstanding note, Loren E. Nichols	125 78
Outstanding note, Sarah A. Perry	1000 00
	<u>\$56725 78</u>
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1909	\$2610 18
Town notes	7238 88
Wellesley bonds	2000 00
State of Massachusetts bonds	2000 00

Newburyport (Mass.) bonds	\$2000 00	
City of Rochester (N. H.) bonds	2000 00	
City of Boston (Mass.) bonds	2000 00	
City of Athol (Mass.) bonds	2000 00	
Hillsboro Bridge Village Water Bonds	2000 00	
City of New York	3000 00	
Deposited in Savings Bank	883 13	
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Net debt Feb. 15, 1909		\$28993 59
Net debt Feb. 15, 1908		\$31831 21
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Decrease in net debt		\$2837 62

UNAVAILABLE ASSETS.

Water System	\$49868 24	
Building and lot	5000 00	
Fire apparatus	800 00	
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CHARLES S. PERRY,
LOREN E. NICHOLS,
AMMY O. GOULD,

Fire Commissioners.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

It is very gratifying to report the Department in excellent condition in every way as to men and material to do very effective work.

The number of alarms to which they have responded in the past year is as follows:

Sept. 10,	Box 47.
Oct. 7,	Box 47.
Oct. 26,	Box 78.
Jan. 2,	Box 78.

There was but a small loss of property from any of these calls.

E. C. NEWMAN, Chief Engineer.

PRECINCT TREASURER'S REPORT.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash balance Feb. 15, 1908	\$1093 22
Received from Fire Commissioners, borrowed	5625 78
From Selectmen, account appropriation	3500 00
From L. E. Nichols, commissioner, sale of stove	3 00
From Water Department, hydrant rental transferred	1000 00
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Total receipts	\$11222 00
Have paid out on orders	10306 22
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Cash balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909	\$915 78

WATER ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance of cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$2615 40
Received from W. O. Story, Commissioner	5239 59
Rec'd from Selectmen, hydrant rental	1000 00
" " " interest on town notes	217 17
Rec'd interest on bonds	616 36
" " " savings bank deposit	49 60
" from savings bank for reinvestment in sinking fund	1500 00
" from Fire Commissioners, cash borrowed	1000 00
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	\$12238 12

DISBURSEMENTS.

Have paid out on orders	\$8660 59
“ transferred to general account	1000 00
“ deposited in savings bank as part of sinking fund	883 13
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	\$10543 72
Balance of cash on hand Feb. 15	1694 40
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	\$12238 12

SINKING FUND INVESTMENTS.

2	3½ per cent City of Rochester bonds, Nos. 523 and 524, Jan. 1 1915	\$2000 00
2	4 per cent Town of Wellesley bonds, Nos. 172 and 173, March 1, 1925	2000 00
2	3½ per cent City of Newburyport bonds, Nos. 45 and 48, Dec. 1, 1923	2000 00
1	4 per cent City of Boston bond, No. 16671, Oct. 1, 1917	2000 00
2	4 per cent Town of Athol bonds, Nos. 76 and 77, 1917	2000 00
1	3 per cent State of Massachusetts bond, No. 1660, March 1, 1935	2000 00
2	4 per cent Hillsboro Bridge Village Fire Precinct bonds, Nos. 30 and 31, Jan. 1, 1917	2000 00
1	4½ per cent City of New York bond, No. 86, 1917	2000 00
1	4½ per cent City of New York bond, No. 91, 1917	1000 00
1	3 per cent Town of Hillsborough note, No. 302, demand	5238 88
1	3 per cent Town of Hillsborough note, No. 357, demand	2000 00
	Deposit in Hillsboro Bridge Guaranty Savings Bank	1504 42
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		\$25743 30

WILLIAM H. STORY,
Precinct Treasurer,

WATER DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

STILLMAN H. BAKER	-	-	-	term expires, 1913
JOHN B. SMITH	-	-	-	" " 1912
GEORGE E. WYMAN	-	-	-	" " 1911
CHARLES A. JONES	-	-	-	" " 1910
WILLIAM O. STORY	-	-	-	" " 1909

At a meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners held April 2, 1908, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year :

CHARLES A. JONES,
Chairman of the Board.

WILLIAM O. STORY,
Clerk of the Board and
Superintendent of the
Water Works.

The Board of Water Commissioners respectfully submit their twelfth annual report which follows:

CASH ACCOUNT.

Received for water rates	\$5239 59	
Paid to precinct treasurer		\$5239 59

MAINTENANCE.

Expense		\$162 85
Care and repair:		
Labor	\$343 67	
Supplies	81 39	
		425 06
Interest account		3 79
Interest on water bonds		1800 00
Renewal of water pipes		1474 45
		\$3866 15

INCOME.

Gross receipts from water rates	\$5239 59
†Water rates—precinct use (hydrant rental)	1000 00
*Sinking fund earnings, water works surplus	529 40
Receipts from all sources effecting income account	\$6768 99
Deduct "Maintenance"	3866 15
Net income from all sources for year ending Feb. 15, 1909	\$2902 84

†Amount of hydrant rental raised by taxation, turned into the water department and transferred by the water department to the general account of the precinct.

*Interest on that proportion of the "sinking-fund" created from water works surplus earnings.

BALANCE SHEET.

Resources	Feb. 15, '09.	Feb. 15, '08.	Increase
Original purchase	\$45000 00	\$45000 00	
Extensions	3079 17	3079 17	
Service connections	400 44	363 63	\$36 81
*Excess renewal	1228 63	702 20	526 43
Building account	160 00	160 00	
Sinking-fund	25743 30	23360 17	2383 13
†Precinct special	8725 00	7725 00	1000 00
Supplies on hand	837 58	723 01	114 57
Cash in treasury	1694 40	2615 40	†921 00
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	\$86868 52	\$83728 58	
Liabilities			
Coupon bonds	\$45000 00	\$45000 00	
‖Precinct tax-levy	6250 00	6250 00	
§Sinking-fund earnings, tax-levy	1732 33	1495 23	\$ 237 10
Profit and Loss	33886 19	30983 35	2902 84
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	\$86868 52	\$83728 58	

*Difference between the cost of old cement lined and new iron pipe (laid) used in reconstructing the water works,

†Loaned precinct; or transferred from water to general account of the precinct.

‖Amount raised by taxation for use of the water department.

§Balance of interest on that proportion of the sinking-fund raised by taxation but not included in "income account," not being an earning of the water works.

†Decrease.

January 1, 1909, sinking-fund should amount to \$25393 54

January 1, 1909, sinking-fund on hand 25743 30

Amount above actual requirements \$ 349 76

COST OF WATER WORKS—CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

Original cost			\$45000 00
Extensions, 1896		\$855 34	
“ 1897		797 01	
“ 1900		1012 42	
“ 1902		87 86	
“ 1904		326 54	
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Service connections, 1897		\$36 44	
“ “ 1898		14 25	
“ “ 1899		193 31	
“ “ 1900		25 99	
“ “ 1901		10 83	
“ “ 1902		1 25	
“ “ 1904		38 17	
“ “ 1905		15 75	
“ “ 1906		6 64	
“ “ 1907		21 00	
“ “ 1908		36 81	
		<hr/>	\$400 44
Excess renewal, 1899		\$139 40	
“ “ 1902		562 80	
“ “ 1908		526 43	
		<hr/>	\$1228 63
Building account, 1902			160 00
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Total cost of water works to date			\$49868 24
Total number of hydrants			40
Total number of service connections			385

During the summer of 1908, the commissioners relaid 2000 feet of six and eight inch pipe (720 feet of 6 inch and 1280 feet of 8 inch) replacing the old cement lined with cast iron pipe of suitable strength.

The entire cost of this work was \$2000.43, of which \$1474 was charged to "Income account" and \$526.43 to "Excess renewal." This latter amount is added to the cost of the works and shows in "Construction account" above.

The reconstruction of the supply pipe line from Loon Lake to the intermediate reservoir on Bible Hill now under way is in accordance with recommendations made by Mr. A. W. Forbes, C. E., of Boston.

It is the plan of the commissioners to replace another section of this line the coming season and to pay for same from water funds in the treasury.

The Commissioners hope to complete the relaying this line of pipe in two or three seasons more.

(Signed)

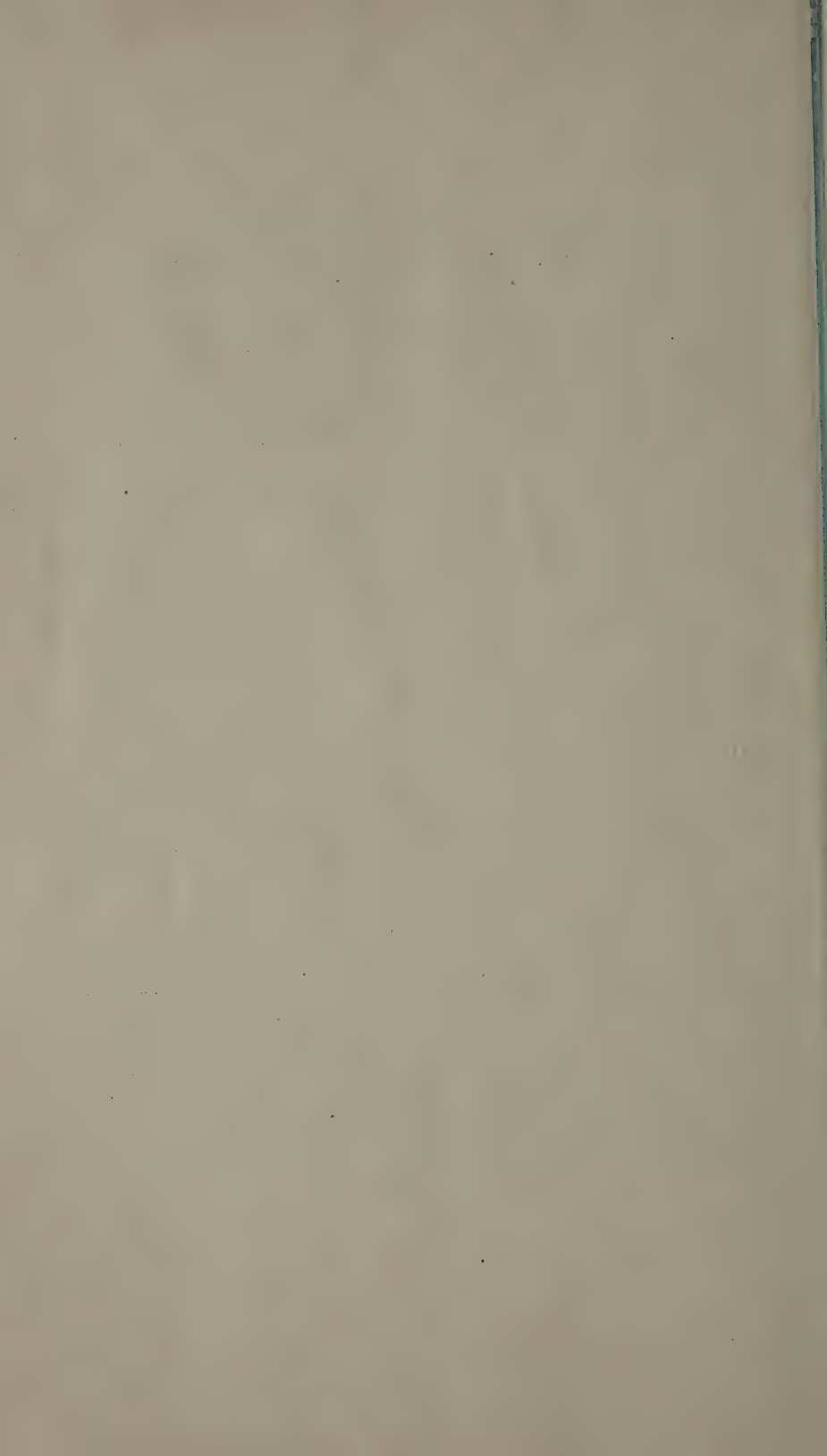
STILLMAN H. BAKER,
JOHN B. SMITH,
GEORGE E. WYMAN,
CHARLES A. JONES,
WILLIAM O. STORY,

Board of Water Commissioners.

Hillsborough, N. H., Feb. 15, 1909.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Fire Commissioners, Water Commissioners and Treasurer of the Hillsboro Bridge Village Fire Precinct and find them correct and all payments properly vouched for,

GEORGE W. HASLET,
LEON E. ANNIS,
WILLIAM H. DENNISON, -
Auditors,



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF
HILLSBORO, N. H.,

For the Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1909,
and the School Year Ending Aug. 31, 1908.

OFFICERS

Moderator,
JOHN GOODELL.

Clerk,
RODNEY SMITH.

Treasurer,
JAMES M. RAY.

School Board,
JAMES M. RAY, MRS. MARY CLEMENT ATWOOD,
MRS. ELSIE J. BROCKWAY, Resigned Oct. 24, 1908
MRS. MINNIE P. GAY, Appointed Oct. 24, 1908

Auditors,
RODNEY SMITH, MARTIN WHITNEY,
LEONARD F. MARTIN,

TOWN DISTRICT WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town School District of the Town of Hillsborough qualified to vote in district affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the School House at Lower Village in said district on the eleventh day of March, 1909, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following subjects :

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing two years.
4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
5. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subjects embraced in the warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to raise any money in addition to that required by law for school purposes and repairs of schoolhouses and if so, how much.
9. To see what sum of money the district will raise for the payment of high school tuitions.
10. To see if the district will vote to rescind the vote passed at the annual meeting of said district in March, 1908, uniting said district with one or more town districts or special districts to form a supervisory district for the purpose of employing a Superintendent of the public

schools therein, under the provisions of Chapter 77 of Session Laws of New Hampshire, 1899, or take any other action relating thereto.

11. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to contract with some high school to furnish instruction to its scholars.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Hillsborough this twentieth day of February, 1909.

JAMES M. RAY,
MARY C. ATWOOD,
MINNIE P. GAY,
School Board.



Report of School Board.

To the Citizens of Hillsborough :

The following is presented as the annual report of the Town School Department :

The town maintained nine schools in the spring, eight in the fall and eight in the winter.

The supplies for the year have been ordered, received and paid for from this year's money and there are no outstanding bills for the same. Inventories have been taken several times during the year. Supplies and books not in use are stored in School House No. 4.

The only change in text books has been the adoption of "Lessons in English" by Scott & Southworth. The text books now in use are Heath Readers, Cyr's Readers, Ward Readers, McMaster's Histories, Lessons in English by Scott & Southworth, Milne Arithmetics (old), Hall's Physiologies and the Whitehouse Educational System of Practical Writing.

In the month of September, as required by law, a census of the children of school age was taken in the town district. There were reported 61 boys, 55 girls, a total of 116 children between the ages of five and sixteen years. Of these 70 were born in Hillsboro, 38 were born elsewhere in the United States, 3 were born in foreign countries and of the others the places of birth were unknown.

The State Registers are correctly filled to date.

In conclusion we urge all citizens to familiarize themselves with the State Program of Studies and quote the following from the Program, Page 7 :

"Nobody can claim to be all-wise, but it is better to seize upon and follow an opinion which commends itself as sound to those appointed in authority than to run a race of opinions with all the inevitable shifting involved."

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

Members of School Board:

Following is a brief report of the work of the Superintendent for the fall and winter terms of school together with comments and suggestions:

During last spring term, by an arrangement made with the members of the supervisory district as it then existed, I had the opportunity of visiting the schools and getting acquainted with the work. On the fifteenth of July last the new supervisory district came into existence, and since then I have given one-sixth of my time to your schools in accordance with instructions.

The pressing need for the work of a superintendent, especially in a new district, is in the school room, noting the work there done, the attendance, discipline and methods of instruction, and the surroundings and equipment for the work.

Accordingly I have used all my time during school hours in visiting the schools and advising with the teachers as to work to be done, ways of improving instruction, and books to be used. The formal teachers' meetings and office work of the city superintendent have very little practical value for us at present.

Believing that evolution is better than revolution I have taken the work where I have found it and have suggested no radical changes. The newer methods of work, while excellent in themselves if properly handled, may be positively injurious if not properly understood. I have therefore encouraged the teachers to adopt and apply those elements of the new in their own way. They have done this faithfully and in some cases have obtained excellent results, while all have added to their efficiency and teaching power.

There was on hand such a quantity of text books that

I felt the best interests of the schools demanded a complete knowledge of the number of each kind on hand and their condition and then a wise distribution and use. Although I attempted a complete inventory at the end of last year, I found out later that several school buildings, not in use last spring term, had supplies of text books. However, there were more than enough books on my list to provide the schools, so I recommended no purchase of new text books with the exception of the adoption of new grammars in place of the old ones which were worn out. The supply of paper for arithmetic and other work done with the pencil was secured at a reduction of two cents a package from the ordinary prices by buying in bulk. By having quotations direct from the manufacturers I secured for you a reduction of twenty-five cents per gross on lead pencils. We also secured the additional ten per cent. discount on the new grammars by exchanging the old ones for these.

However, an economy that defeats its own ends is not beneficial. If the only question were to save money the people could do it most effectively by putting out none at all for schools. But the task that is demanded is an efficient economy. The money saved for the town by the superintendent in the purchase and administration of supplies, because of his opportunity and time for information on the subject, should be transferred from the appropriation for text books and supplies to that for the salaries of teachers, in order that we may have the best possible teachers consistent with our means. Hillsboro has been especially liberal in its appropriation for school supplies. I would urge a smaller appropriation for these and the addition of the one or two hundred dollars thus to be saved to the appropriation for schools, and available especially for paying higher salaries to teachers, thus assuring an even higher standard of instruction.

I wish to make it clear that this saving is the natural result that the town has a right to expect from employing one man to spend his time in looking after the schools. No credit is due the present superintendent and no criticism is implied upon the present or former school boards. The credit is due the system and is the result of a well known business principle. You have a right to expect more for the same money or the same for less money when one man recommends and handles supplies, than when several have it to do as a side issue to their regular work.

One permanent improvement that you have made to the equipment of the schools, but which will not be available until spring, should be mentioned. Blackboards with slate surfaces will be placed in several, if not all the schools. These will be framed so they can be readily put up or taken down by one man and transferred from any school building that has been closed to another one that has been opened. Thus efficiently and economically the blackboard question will be settled for a number of years, unless more schools are run each year than at present.

As to consolidation of schools, I desire to say one word. A full discussion would be too long for this report.

I believe your present excellent system of combining, where possible, should be continued. I think more importance will have to be given to the transportation side of the question and the present method of paying so many different individuals changed, wherever practicable, to that of providing one good team with proper driver for each section where the number will warrant it. To the community I would say that I am acquainted with and have sympathy with many of the objections raised to the closing of a school in their vicinity. I believe that every case has to be fully and wisely considered before such a step is taken. On the other hand I wish to urge that a

schoolhouse with a teacher and pupils in it may be far from having any effect educationally. It may be a place where only idleness and loss of interest are engendered. Yes, even moral degeneracy may ensue. I unhesitatingly declare such pupils better off in a decent home, without any definite schooling, except the training to read and write. And such danger is the most imminent in the small school with crude outhouses whose walls blunt more or less deeply the sensitiveness of every boy or girl whose eyes fall upon them. With the larger school, better teaching and better surroundings are possible.

I have spoken of an economical and efficient management of supplies, of the possibility of securing more money thereby to pay teachers, and of the consolidation of schools as a help toward securing a strong teaching force. There is at present a bill before the legislature which, if passed, would give a further rebate by the State to this district of one-half to one-third of the amount now raised for supervision. The bill also contains a provision for payment by the State to districts coming under its terms the sum of three dollars per week for each teacher engaged who is a Normal School graduate or holds a State certificate. By a continuance of the present policy together with the economies recommended I believe it would be possible to have, with little extra expense, a trained teacher in each of our schools. I trust the district may be keenly alert to the opportunity thus promised and be ready to avail itself of all such means that the State may offer.

I very gladly record the cordial relations with you body, with the teachers and with those of the community whom I have had the opportunity to meet. These all have their influence in telling for good schools.

Respectfully submitted,

F. C. JOHNSON.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

The Treasurer of the Town School District respectfully submits the following report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1909:

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 15, 1908	\$ 970 81	
Amount required by law	1316 82	
“ voted by district	1000 00	
“ by literary fund	74 53	
“ by dog licenses	113 13	
“ for tuition, Windsor	22 00	
	<hr/>	\$3497 29

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers	\$1957 00	
Repairs	251 12	
Wood	149 85	
Janitor work	42 00	
Cleaning schoolhouses	24 10	
Supplies	23 32	
Transportation	217 90	
Tuition in grades and board of Sadie Adams	101 21	
Feb. 15, 1909, cash	7 0 79	
	<hr/>	\$3497 29

HIGH SCHOOL RECEIPTS.

Feb. 15, cash in treasury	\$154 44	
By vote of district	100 00	
Received from state treasurer	39 16	
	<hr/>	\$293 60

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Mary A. Crosby, treasurer, spring term, 6 pupils at \$4.00	\$ 24 00
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Paid Mary A. Crosby, treasurer, fall term, 15 pupils at \$12.00	180 00	
Paid Mary A. Crosby, treasurer, $\frac{1}{2}$ term 13 pupils at \$5.00	65 00	
Cash in treasury	24 60	
	<hr/>	\$293 60

DISTRICT PART SUPERINTENDENT

RECEIPTS.

From Town by vote of district	\$200 00	
State treasurer	168 25	
	<hr/>	\$368 25

EXPENDITURES.

F. C. Johnson, spring term	\$ 36 50	
Edward H. Taylor, for bond	90	
Supervisory District	300 00	
Feb. 15, 1909, cash in treasury	30 85	
	<hr/>	\$368 25

NANCY G. MOORE BEQUEST.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1908	\$58 70	
Paid Scott I. Gay for organ	25 00	
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Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1909		\$33 70

JAMES M. RAY,

Treasurer Town School District.

The undersigned auditors for the Town School District have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Town School District and find the same correct and proper vouchers for all expenditures.

MARTIN WHITNEY,
LEONARD F. MARTIN,
RODNEY SMITH.

Hillsboro, Feb. 13, 1909.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 15, 1908.

Leda O. Barnes, Ruth M. Gibson, Josephine M. Rogers, Manila York, Willie Devoy, Mary E. Devoy, Estella M. Russell, Cora M. Russell, Bernice M. Miller, Florence B. Russell, Fannie E. Proctor, Ralph G. Proctor, Harold E. Colburn, Edgar F. Colburn.

SPRING TERM, 1908.

Bernice M. Miller, Doris H. Miller, Stella M. Russell, Cora M. Russell, Florence B. Russell, Sarah W. Russell, Charles Russell, Edith A. Fish, William H. Fish, Fannie E. Proctor, Ralph G. Proctor, Edgar F. Colburn, Gladys Proctor, Mary E. Devoy, Willie Devoy, Leda O. Barnes, Sadie E. Adams, Doris J. Harvey, Catherine Devoy, Thomas Devoy, Milton Ray, Flossie M. Davis, Flora M. Smith, Leon B. Davis, Selwin A. Davis, Elmer B. Smith, Manila York, Cecil A. George, Mark E. McClintock, James B. McClintock, Henry G. Rogers, Ruth M. Gibson, Mildred L. George, Josephine M. Rogers, Eben P. Jones, Myron York, Harold Colburn.

FALL TERM, 1908.

Laurence Burbank, Bernice Miller, Florence Russell, Charles Russell, Flossie M. Davis, Flora M. Smith, Leon D. Davis, Selwin A. Davis, Elmer B. Smith, Catherine Devoy, William Devoy, Arthur Jones, Cora Craige, Bertha M. Myers, Manila D. York, Raymond L. York, Henry Rogers, Leda O. Barnes, Ruth I. Cram, Marion A. Gibson, Ruth M. Gibson, Josephine M. Rogers, Edith A. Fish, Ralph G. Proctor, Harold E. Colburn, Edgar F. Colburn.

WINTER TERM, 1908-1909.

Doris Miller, Cora Russell, Florence Russell, Charles Russell, Flossie M. Davis, Selwin A. Davis, Elmer B. Smith, Catherine Devoy, William Devoy, Ida M. Murdo, Bertha M. Myers, Vona B. Whitney, Harold H. Lowell, Andrew J. Sargent, Raymond L. York, Myron A. York, Leda O. Barnes, Marion A. Gibson, Ruth M. Gibson, Mildred L. George, Harold E. Colburn, Edgar F. Colburn, Ralph G. Proctor, Fannie E. Proctor, Gleason Young

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TOWN SCHOLARS ATTENDING SCHOOL AT THE BRIDGE.

GRADE IV.

Doris Harvey.

GRADE VII.

Fred Harvey, Clitz Grimes, Glenn Hoyt, Ruth Hoyt,
Handel Cook.

GRADE VIII.

Elmer Gould.

GRADE IX.

Sadie Adams, Ernest Russell, John Young.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Charles W. Carter, Mary E. Devoy, Thomas Devoy,
Donald France, Eunice M. France, Vera H. Jameson, Wal-
ter E. Morgan, Sarah W. Russell, Stella M. Russell, Ash-
bel J. Young, Wilfred C. France, Bernice Gibson, Harvey
Grimes. Earl C. Jameson, Hazel McClintock.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

	Year ending July 15, '07.	Year ending July 15, '08.
Number of pupils	105	128
Number of boys	53	64
Number of girls	52	62
Number of High School pupils	9	8
Average attendance	76.55	83.83
Average absence	8.87	5.98
Average membership	85.42	89.81
Per cent of attendance	90	93
Number of pupils not absent or tardy	11	14
Number of cases of tardiness	388	344
Greatest number of pupils in any school	15	28
Least number of pupils in any school	4	5
Average salary of teachers per month	\$26.18	\$26.62
Number of schoolhouses	16	16

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STATISTICAL TABLE.

Division	Teachers	Pupils		Average membership	Average daily attendance	Per cent of attendance	No. cases of tardiness	No. of weeks	Wages per month
		Boys	Girls						
Spring Term, 1908.									
2	Miss Shedd	6	3	8.77	8.10	93		11	\$28
3	Miss Ash	3	6	9.00	8.68	96	72	10	28
6	Miss Smith	9	9	16.87	16.05	95	6	11	32
9 & 10	Miss Allen	7	12	16.07	13.15	81	53	11	32
11	Miss Harvey	5	3	7.16	6.70	93	7	11	28
12	Miss Mellen	3	4	5.98	5.28	88	20	11	28
13	Miss Morgan	4	4	7.90	7.94	99	6	11	28
17	Miss Dresser	8	4	11.28	10.41	91		10	28
18	Miss Clarke	3	6	8.99	8.94	99	29	11	28
Fall Term, 1908.									
2	Miss Shedd	4	3	7.00	6.88	98		12	\$28
3	Miss Ash	5	9	12.95	11.28	87	113	12	28
6	Miss Smith	8	9	16.55	15.44	93	5	12	36
8	Miss Sawyer	7	5	10.44	9.89	94	7	11	28
9 & 10	Miss Crooker	4	11	14.99	14.06	93	35	12	36
13	Miss Harvey	13	5	16.83	15.32	91	9	12	32
17	Miss Dresser	9	3	11.80	10.81	91	4	12	28
18	Miss Clarke	4	4	7.99	7.85	98		12	28
Winter Term, 1908-09.									
2	Miss Shedd	6	3	8.62	8.30	96	1	8	28
3	Miss Ash	10	8	15.96	13.03	81	65	8	28
6	Miss Smith	8	8	14.75	14.00	94	5	6	36
9 & 10	Miss Crooker	9	10	17.32	17.25	96		9	36
11	Miss Yates	8	2	9.97	9.21	92	9	8	32
13	Miss Harvey	7	4	11.00	8.86	80	18	8	28
17	Miss Dresser	7	3	10.00	8.42	90	3	9	28
18	Miss Clarke	4	4	7.75	7.02	90	4	7	28

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF
HILLSBORO, N. H.,

For the Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1909,
and the School Year Ending Aug. 31, 1908.

OFFICERS

Moderator,
STILLMAN H. BAKER.

Clerk,
DANIEL W. COLE.

Board of Education,
LEON E. ANNIS, GEORGE W. HASLET,
MARY A. CROSBY.

Auditors,
CHARLES A. JONES,
A. L. MANSFIELD, WILLIAM H. DENNISON.

Superintendent of Schools,
FRANK C. JOHNSON.

SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Special School District in the Town of Hillsborough qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the schoolhouse in said district on Monday, the twenty-second day of March, 1909, at seven of the clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the Board of Education for three years.
4. To hear the reports of the Board of Education, Treasurer, Auditors and other officers and committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary in addition to the amount required by law for the support of schools, repairs on buildings, and any other necessary charges arising within said district.
6. To choose Auditors, Agents or Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

LEON E. ANNIS,
MARY A. CROSBY,
GEORGE W. HASLET,
Board of Education.

Report of the Board of Education.

The Board of Education presents herewith its report for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1909, and the school year ending Aug. 31, 1908, together with reports from the superintendent of schools and reports to him. We urge your careful perusal of these reports, as they give a full resume of the school work with valuable recommendations.

As recommended at the last annual meeting, a Commercial course has been introduced in the High School, which has proved very successful, more pupils entering this course than was anticipated.

The changes in the High School involved the purchase of new desks and the laying of a large amount of new flooring. Most of the rooms need new floors, and it is advised that the principle be adopted of raising enough money each year to provide for one room, until all the rooms are furnished with new floors.

Attention is called to the item of tuition, which is much larger than for any year heretofore. As the standard of the school is raised, it is hoped that this amount may be still more increased.

Some improvements are needed in the basement, which will not entail great expense.

LEON E. ANNIS,
MARY A. CROSBY,
GEORGE W. HASLET,

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

Members of the Board of Education :

I present herewith my third annual report upon your schools.

The High School naturally takes an important place at present in the interests of the community because of the wish to induce a larger proportion of our pupils to enter and complete some one of the courses offered, and because it is playing a considerable part in the income derived from tuition pupils. There is good evidence that these objects are being accomplished. An increase of about fifty per cent. over previous years in its membership and a much larger proportion of the pupils coming back each year with the result that the present junior class—the first to have the benefit of our present courses from the beginning—is much larger than any we have had in recent years, is the material evidence of this fact. That the tuition funds for the fall term from high school pupils alone were almost \$100 more than the annual income from all the schools three years ago shows the encouraging growth in this way. Moreover, we have now three graduates in college, one from the class of 1907 and two from the class of 1908, and are able to test the quality of our work. All three have secured high standing in their scholarship, and one, a graduate of last year's class, has secured first prize in the entering class of Brown University for excellence of preparation in mathematics. Another member of the class of 1908 plans to enter college the coming year and we will then be eligible for the College Certificate privileges.

For those not intending to go to higher institutions of learning and wishing a course that will enable them to be better prepared at the close of their school life for prac-

tical work, the Commercial Course was introduced this year. A good number have taken this, but there has been no general giving up of the others. Each course is well patronized and thus justifies its existence. And the Commercial Course has fully justified its introduction. I have in mind a plan by which some of the more practical features of the course will be open to those pupils from other courses not wishing to enter college. I hope to arrange this with the consent of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction so as to be available another year.

The steady progress of the school in industry and deportment for the past three years, together with the result in scholarship that I have mentioned, gives me justification for assuring the community that its desire to provide suitable training for the pupils of the High School is being gratified. Few communities of our size can excel us in variety of choice offered the pupil and no doubt can now be entertained as to our standard of scholarship.

To support this standard of scholarship demands not only well-fitted pupils from the grades but also the best energies of the pupils themselves during their four years of school life. I am fully aware that the pupil who is doing satisfactory work in our High School is displaying an industry and perseverance second only to the more industrious of our wage earners or business and professional men, and superior to many others. And I would need no further proof of the quality of the work an applicant would give to an employer than the school record. Business men are aware of this and call for the school record of an applicant quite often. That the work is not too exacting is shown by the fact that pupils of only moderate ability, inferior preparation, and ordinary physical vigor are doing the work creditably. But, as I have said before, it needs the best energies. So I urge upon parents that they must

send the children to school properly prepared mentally and physically. A large amount of sleep is necessary for the youthful brain and this must be secured regularly. Proper food must be eaten or poor nutrition ensues. There is danger that the pupils from the best homes may suffer from actual starving of the system because of too great indulgence in confectionery and pastry. For the proper nervous condition to be kept, in spite of the strain demanded by the school, there is need that the nervous energy be maintained and spent only in legitimate ways.

But in asking this we are only asking what the business and professional life demands, and if anyone fears for this result of the vigorous life thus demanded a sufficient answer is furnished by the citizens in any community. Are the physically strong always to be found among the loafers? The men and women of physical vigor and endurance are those who have regular occupation. But there is no doubt that many pupils in the schools of our country are breaking down. If I am to judge by my own experience, those who cannot accomplish the work of the school are almost universally cigarette or tobacco smokers, frequenters of places of amusement that demand their time and energies, or it may be are not of the average physical vigor through no fault of their own. I realize too that the school has a large problem to do its share in preserving the physical energies from injury or waste. Consequently we are keeping a sharp watch for anything of this kind in the schoolroom. With the co-operation of the parents much can be done to prevent this waste of energy and consequent impairment of school work. As a suggestion along this line I advise an even greater and more universal use of the custom that now exists of having social events, such as dances and parties that may properly come in the social life of the boys and girls, occur on Friday evenings only,

or at a time when school work will not be required the following day. I also urge that the pupils of grades eight and nine and of the High School be provided as well as can be with opportunities and equipment for evening study of from one to not more than two and one-half or three hours and be trained to attend to this regularly and punctually. With this co-operation and the further assistance of the parent in securing a proper respect for the reasonable requirements of school discipline, we shall see a larger body of graduates from our schools not only mentally trained, but fitted by physical vigor and respect for proper authority, to take their places in the various activities of life.

The present teaching corps in the High School consists of a Principal and three assistants. This increase was made necessary by the ordinary development of the three courses previously offered and by the introduction of the Commercial Course. The latter is under the guidance of a teacher with two years' university work and a normal business training and experience in preparation for her work. As all of her time is not demanded this year by this course, she instructs the four upper grades in writing and also has classes in arithmetic and history. The other three teachers give their time exclusively to High School instruction. The result is that we are enabled to put most of the departments under those teachers whose special training and experience has best fitted them for these. In the grades three new teachers, each with Normal School training, were engaged—two in place of the two regular grade teachers, Mrs. Emma E. Shoults and Miss Cora I. McKellips, who resigned to accept other positions—and one to replace Miss Ethel F. Swan, teacher of the ninth grade and assistant in the high school. We have now a larger number of trained teachers than ever before in the grades. We will thus be eligible for a considerable sum of

State aid should the bill now pending before the Legislature be passed. This bill grants three dollars per week for each Normal trained teacher in service.

We now have the eighth and ninth grades in the same room and a considerable part of the former will be ready for High School in June. The trial last year of permitting those who had the best rank in the eighth grade to try the examinations for High School resulted in the entrance of five. We are thus solving in a natural way the problem of what to do with those of the eighth grade whose work is so far advanced that they do not need another year's training for High School.

The question of room in our school building is becoming a very pressing one. The removal of the High School to the third story made possible the accommodation of the increase in numbers for this year. At the average rate of growth promised for the next two years I think the limit of our accommodation will be reached at that time. We shall then be driven to the expediency of still further action of a temporary nature unless some other action is taken in time. It is necessary for the community to face this question squarely and to be ready to adopt measures that will best secure efficiency and economy in a very few years at the most.

I called attention in my last report to the need of providing for an increased salary list. This was done with the result that we are now more nearly up to the desired standard. All of the teachers are receiving an advance on former wages. The economy of this step has been shown in the fact that there has been no change in our teaching force thus far during the school year. This is a condition that has not existed before since my work began here. I feel that we are well reimbursed.

An average of the ages in each grade shows that we

are now well up to the front in this respect. It is desirable that pupils be given their training in the ordinary time that the classes may not be overloaded by those who fail to pass. Moreover a better interest is given to the work when pupils are progressing normally.

I want in closing to express my appreciation of the spirit of harmony and co-operation that exists among the teachers and has contributed much to the success of the present year. I am deeply sensible, too, of the willingness evinced to co-operate with me in any suggestion made.

To the members of your Board I give special credit for the interest you have taken and the work done so ungrudgingly that has relieved me of many details which you could better attend to than I. This report would not be complete did it not place on record my acknowledgement of the almost universal willingness with which the pupils have adjusted themselves to the inevitable changes that have occurred year by year as the school has been coming upward to a higher standard of achievement and of deportment. That such has been the case is the best testimony to the spirit of the community, which has not only taken a forward step for its schools in the midst of business depression but has, by its mutual interest in the work, imparted its own respect for the schools to the children, and made better results possible.

Respectfully submitted,

F. C. JOHNSON.

Report of Principal.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Of the thirty-one pupils that were in attendance in the High School at the close of the spring term, four graduated, and twenty-five returned to school in the fall. Four others, former members, returned, and one new pupil entered the Senior class. Of the twenty-one graduates from the ninth grade, nineteen entered the Freshman class. The enrollment of the school in the fall term was sixty-one, of whom twenty were tuition pupils. The average membership for the term was 59.4, the per cent. of attendance, 97.5,—a very good showing, especially if we consider the distance many of the pupils come.

The enrollment by classes is as follows:— Seniors, four; Juniors, including three special students, eleven; Sophomores, fifteen; Freshmen, thirty-one.

The commercial course was elected by five Juniors, nine Sophomores, and fifteen Freshmen. This unexpectedly large number has caused some crowding and other inconvenience in the commercial department. The room intended for fifteen could not accommodate all, and for some time various transfers of classes to and from the main room were made necessary.

The commercial course will prove a valuable addition to the High School courses, as it affords advantages to pupils who may be unable to obtain them elsewhere, and it will tend to keep in school some pupils who are not especially interested in the other courses.

While I realize that the present accommodations for the High School are about all that the limitations of the building will permit, I would suggest that the present

quarters should not be considered permanent. The small recitation room, which is merely the upper landing in a hallway, is unsuitable for several reasons. The main room is not properly lighted and cannot be uniformly heated. The commercial department needs a room that is larger and nearer the main room. A room especially for type-writing will be needed soon.

As soon as the condition of the school funds will permit, a number of reference books should be obtained for the school. At present, there are very few, and the work of several of the departments is much restricted for this reason.

As a number of our pupils intend to enter higher institutions, it seems desirable that the examinations of the College Entrance Examination Board should be given here in June. Application for this privilege has been made to the Secretary of the Board, and a favorable reply has been received.

It now seems probable that within a year or two arrangements may be made with the New England College Entrance Certificate Board by which graduates of the school, with sufficiently good record in scholarship, may be admitted to college or scientific school, on the certificate of the Principal, without entrance examinations.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Committee for their constant support, the Superintendent for his very helpful advice and suggestions, and the teachers in all departments in the school building for their cordial co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. MURDOCK,
Principal.

Report of Supervisor of Music.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Music in the schools of Hillsboro is progressing. It has not yet reached the mark I feel sure it can and will, but it is started in the right direction. The High School shows improvement in reading and in tone quality. All the grades are making progress in ability to read music.

We have always expressed our deepest feelings and emotions by means of music. Thus the real aim of music in the schools is the singing of songs. But to be able to sing songs the pupil must be able to read music accurately. The interest in the school work and the courtesy shown by the townspeople, as well as by all connected with the schools, is making my work in Hillsboro very pleasant.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN D. DAGGETT,

Supervisor of Music.



Report of Supervisor of Drawing.

Superintendent F. C. Johnson:

I submit the following report of drawing for Hillsboro schools:

The work in drawing this year has been a following out of the plan given in last year's report. During the fall term the drawing of flowers and leaves was taken in connection with nature study, and color harmony was reviewed. This winter term the higher grades have had object drawing involving perspective. The younger grades have had the same sort of work only more elementary. In the spring term the work will be the painting and drawing of spring growths with the nature work. The birthdays of noted men, as Lincoln and Washington, have been observed in connection with the drawing, thus correlating drawing and history.

The High School was so large at the beginning of the year that it seemed better to divide it into two classes for the drawing those wishing mechanical work having their lesson one week, and the appearance class having theirs the next. The plan works well. The mechanical class has had elementary working drawings and the other class object drawing, including perspective more in detail than the lower grades.

The children have seemed more interested in the work this year than last and some very good work has been done. It needs the interest of both the teachers and the pupils to make the work a success. I wish to thank all for their helpfulness in this.

SADIE M. REED,
Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

For year ending Feb. 15, 1909.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908	\$2908 87	
Received tax required by law	2905 68	
Special appropriation	1825 00	
" " for repairs	125 00	
Balance of Building Fund trans- ferred for repairs, as per vote of district	222 05	
Deering school tax	22 68	
Literary fund	164 87	
Dog licenses	250 27	
From state, being one-half of amount paid superintendent	250 00	
Freight on books	2 69	
For tuition	534 71	
	<hr/>	\$9211 82

EXPENDITURES.

Paid teachers	\$4364 46	
District's part of Superintendent's salary	500 00	
Janitor	386 50	
Fuel	425 39	
Water	25 00	
Building supplies	52 27	
Repairs on High School Room	315 75	
General repairs	299 33	
Insurance premiums	237 00	
Miscellaneous	173 39	
	<hr/>	\$6779 09
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1909		<hr/> \$2432 73

Balance of Marion A. Moore fund in
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings
Bank, with interest from April 1,
1908

\$512 77

Respectfully submitted,
MARY A. CROSBY,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts
of the Treasurer of Special School District No. 1, and find
them correct and properly vouched for.

CHAS. A. JONES,
WILLIAM H. DENNISON,
ALFRED L. MANSFIELD,
Auditors.



STATISTICAL TABLE.

For School Year Ending July 15, 1908.

Teacher.	Grade.....	Whole number of Pupils			Average Membership.....	Average Attendance.....	Percentage of attendance	Wages per month.....	
		Boys.....	Girls.....	Totals.....					
H. C. Stoughton	} Asst	High	19	22	41	35	34	94.8	\$111.12
Miss Houston									44.00
Miss Dolan									44.00
Miss Harlow									
Miss Swan									
“ Harlow }	IX	14	12	26	25	24	94.3	44.00	
“ Swan }								42.00	
“ McKellips	VII-VIII,	21	14	35	32	30	93.9	44.00	
“ Kendall }	V-VI,	29	20	49	48	45	92.8	38.00	
“ Powell)									
Mrs. Shoults	III IV	18	27	55	48	45	93.0	28.00	
Mrs. Brown	II	10	14	24	21	18	86.0	36.00	
Mrs. Scruton,	I	20	9	29	22	19	88.0	36.00	
Miss Powell }	Special Teacher for Grades								33.00
Miss Gray }									
Albert E. Brown, Supervisor of Music, four days									20.00
Miss Reed, Supervisor of Drawing, four days									
		141	118	*259	231	215	93		

*Non-resident pupils (included in total).....26
Fall Term, 1908.

Whole number of pupils enrolled.....	257
Average membership	249
Average attendance.....	237
Per cent of attendance.....	97
Non-resident pupils.....	31

ROLL OF HONOR.

High School.

First Term—Frederick L. Macalister, Dallas H. Sleeper, Leolin E. Annis, Eva W. Brown, Marion A. Colby, Irene A. Gilroy.

Second Term—Ernest Adams, Frank Hudson, Marion A. Colby, Hazel McClintock.

Third Term—Ernest Adams, J. Harvey Grimes, Leolin Annis, Marion A. Colby, Bernice Gibson, Hazel McClintock, Mollie Parker.

The Year—Marion A. Colby.

Grade IX.

First Term—Lawrence Pye, Ashbel Young, Gladys Buttrick, Statira Eaton, Bernice Straw, Elizabeth Thompson.

Second Term—Paul Scruton, Leon McAdams, Lawrence Pye, Gladys Buttrick.

Third Term—Mabel Locke, Gladys Buttrick, Charlie Carter, Ashbel Young, Earl Richardson, Lawrence Pye, Ross Appleton.

The Year—Lawrence Pye, Gladys Buttrick.

Grades VII and VIII.

First Term—Nelson H. Barnes, Maurice Barnes, Roger Conner, Earl Foster, Elmer Gould, Raymond P. Hoskins, Wilbur Heath, Ralph H. Kemp, Walter E. Morgan, Bernard Webber, Carrie E. Fuller, Martha Grund, Pansy Huntoon.

Second Term—Nelson Barnes, Leon Kemp, Ralph Kemp, Walter Morgan, Bernard Webber, Hazel Parsons, Pansy Huntoon.

Third Term—Nelson Barnes, Maurice Barnes, Elmer Gould, Raymond Hoskins, Wilbur Heath, Leon Kemp,

Ralph Kemp, Walter Morgan, Bernard Webber, Dora Brown, Jessie Brown, Martha Grund.

The Year—Nelson Barnes, Ralph Kemp, Walter Morgan, Bernard Webber.

Grades V and VI,

First Term—Bernard Annis, Raymond Clark, Frederick Fuller, Arthur Gruenler, Fred Harvey, Averill McAlpine, Hamilton Rumrill, Ralph Sleeper, James Travis, George Van Dommele, Eleanor Gardner, Gertrude Janowsky, Lila Nelson, Doris Rumrill, Ruth Rumrill, Grace Shutts.

Second Term—James Travis.

Third Term—Harold Buttrick, Raymond Clark, Milton Gokey, Arthur Greunler, Frank Mosley, Hamilton Rumrill, Ralph Sleeper, James Travis, George VanDommele, Lawrence Willette, Jessie Colby, Elinor Chadwick, Roena Eaton, Marjorie Head, Jessie Inglis, Gertrude Janowsky, Mildred Mead, Lila Nelson, Gertrude Pye, Ruth Rumrill, Gladys Read.

The Year—James Travis.

Grades III and IV.

First Term—Ruth Ash, Mabel Cota, Bessie Greunler, Florence Colby, Anna Harrington, Vileta Nelson, Marguerite Sullivan, Helen Pye, Lena Wyman, Alma Warne, Esther Shutts, Louis Aldrich, George Burrill, Ermin Barnes, Leslie Carter, Louis Cota, Claude Shutts, Frank West.

Second Term—Esther Shutts, Ermin Barnes, Claude Shutts, Frank West, Gertrude B. Colby, Eddie Gaucher, Stuart Ferry, Alphonso Cross, Wendell Ferry, Jennie Colby, Walter Smith, Elton Kemp.

Third Term—Florence Colby, Marguerite Sullivan, Alma Warne, Ermin Barnes, Eddie Gaucher, Wendell Ferry, Elton Kemp, Harold Richardson, John B. Tasker, Jr.,

Mary Buswell, Viola Goodwin, Viola Colby, Gertrude Colby, Rose Whelan.

The Year—Ermin Barnes.

Grade II.

First Term—Lester Kemp, Harold Livingston, Franklin Martin, Charles Tucker, Ethel Farrar, Ruth Perry, Nerine Warne.

Third Term—Chesleith Ashford, Oscar Goodwin, Frank Johnson, Lester Kemp, Harold Livingston, Franklin Martin, John Pye, Charles Tucker, Kenneth Wadleigh, Beatrice Cohn, Lena Crowley, Beatrice Nelson, Ruth Perry.

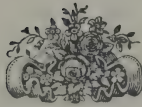
Grade I.

First Term—Beatrice Page, Lester Boynton, Clayton Cohn, Willis P. Gould.

Second Term—Lester W. Boynton.

Third Term—Lester W. Boynton, Frances Raines, Eileen Buttrick, Clayton Cohn, Almore Bossie, Willis P. Gould.

The Year—Lester W. Boynton.



Marriages Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1908.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom.	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage.	Color of Bride and Groom.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Name of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married.
Jan. 1	Hillsboro	George C. Wilkins	Hillsboro	41	Railroad Man	Hillsboro	Isaac Wilkins	Danbury	1 Rev. T. W. Coakley
		Susie McGreevy	"	34		New York	J. McGreevy	Ireland	1 Rev. John L. Cairns
	Hillsboro	Alfred R. Rowe	Henniker	20	Farmer	Henniker	Alden Rowe	Bradford	1 Hillsboro
Mar. 21	Hillsboro	Mary Clay Brown	"	21	"	Hillsboro	Henry Rowe	"	1 S. W. Holman, J. P.
		John F. Carr	"	37	Teamster	Belmont	Edward Carr	Saunderston	1 Hillsboro
		Hannah A. Bennett	"	33	Housework	"	Henry Bennett	Mass.	1 Hillsboro
31	Hillsboro	Bertrand H. Dale	"	24	Mill Operative	Bristol	Osgood Dale	Salem, Mass.	1 Hillsboro
		Anna Brown	"	20	Waitress	"	J. Swinington	"	1 Hillsboro
Apr. 8	Hillsboro	Charles H. Twiss	"	35	Fireman	Sutton	Jas. G. Twiss	Sunapee	2 Rev. Robert W. Wallace
		Ruth E. Safford	Washington	25	Teacher	Washington	John Safford	Washington	1 Hillsboro
30	Hillsboro	John W. Brewer	Hillsboro	22	Mill Operative	Nashua	Albert Brewer	England	1 Hillsboro
		Florence M. Patten	"	21	"	Deering	Wm. H. Patten	Deering	1 Hillsboro
July 4	Hillsboro	Arthur Walbridge	"	21	Laborer	Enfield	H. Walbridge	Enfield	1 Hillsboro
		Rachel Maria Cram	"	10	Mill Operative	Weare	Chas. G. Cram	Weare	1 Hillsboro
Aug. 22	Hillsboro	John Sadowske	"	28	Laborer	Russian Pole	M. Sadowske	Russian Pole	1 Hillsboro
		Pauline Charewicz	"	18	Mill Operative	"	J. Charewicz	"	1 Hillsboro
26	Manchester	Wm. C. Bosworth	"	38	Weaver	Oxford, Me.	Wm. Bosworth	Maine	2 Rev. C. S. Frost
		Jennie E. Malinson	"	36	"	Peterboro, Ca.	Geo. Barrie	Scotland	2 Manchester
Sept. 9	Hillsboro	Stephen J. Whitney	"	45	Partner	Newport	S. P. Whitney	Henniker	3 Ralph G. Smith, J. P.
		Carrie E. C. Rumlill	"	42	Housewife	Plainfield	Jos. Chambers	"	3 Hillsboro
12	Hillsboro	Archib. C. Dow	"	21	Mill Operative	Mass.	Chas. L. Dow	Hooksett	1 Hillsboro
		Mabel F. Patten	"	19	"	Deering	Wm. Patten	Deering	1 Hillsboro
26	Henniker	Walter P. Greunler	"	19	"	Henniker	J. Greunler	Germany	1 Henniker
		Maud E. Gordon	"	17	"	"	Isaiah Jones	Mass.	1 Henniker
28	Hillsboro	Lombard C. Jones	Malden, Mass.	43	Physician	Mass.	Fred Nelson	Hillsboro	1 Hillsboro
		Nina D. Everhart	"	32	At Home	Malden, Mass.	B. F. Dutton	"	1 Hillsboro
29	Hillsboro	Guy Leslie Nelson	Hillsboro	21	Blacksmith	Hillsboro	Edw. George	Sunapee	1 Hillsboro
		Bertha N. George	"	21	Mill Operative	"	A. LaFond	Canada	1 Hillsboro
30	Hillsboro	Joseph LaFond	"	44	Laborer	Canada	R. Choplin	Vermont	1 Hillsboro
		Hattie J. Stone	"	33	Housewife	Vermont	R. Haskell	Greenfield	1 Hillsboro
11	Manchester	John R. Haskell	"	23	Shoemaker	Weare	E. N. Jones	Hillsboro	1 Rev. Nathaniel S. Colby
		Grace J. Jones	"	13	"	Hillsboro	"	"	1 Manchester

MARRIAGES CONTINUED.

Oct.	10	Hillsboro	Chester Richardson	Pelham	Civil Engineer	L. Richards	Pelham	1	Rev. George E. Heath,
			Blanche Whittaker	Hillsboro	Stenographer	H. P. Whitaker	South Boston, Mass.	1	South Boston, Mass.
	16	Waterbury, Vt.	Roland R. Moxley	"	Druggist	Geo. Moxley	Albany, Vt.	1	Rev. W. Curtis Johnson,
			Marie W. Johnson	Waterbury, Vt.	Trained Nurse	W. C. Johnson	Bradford, Vt.	1	Waterbury, Vt.
	21	Hillsboro	Harold O. Mann	Natick, Mass.	Accountant	Natick, Mass.	Ward	1	Rev. Robert W. Wallace,
			Ruth I. Proctor	Hillsboro	Music Teacher	Antrim	Peterboro	1	Hillsboro
	23	Contoocook	Dana S. Temple	"	Elocutionist	Bradford	Washington	1	Rev. T. H. Scammon,
			Ruth J. Ward	Warner	"	Portland, Me.	Portland, Me.	1	Hopkinton
	26	Hillsboro	D. Harry Putnam	Portland, Me.	Teamster	Maine	Portland, Me.	2	Kirk D. Pierce, J. P.,
			Emma P. Jackson	Hillsboro	Housewife	Boston, Mass.	Mass.	2	Hillsboro
	28	Hillsboro	George S. Hall	Gardner, Mass.	Clerk	Hancock, Vt.	Hancock, Vt.	1	Rev. Harry L. Brickett,
			Autonette L. Childs	Hillsboro	At Home	Hillsboro	Bath, Me.	1	Marion, Mass.
	Nov. 20	Hillsboro	Andrew P. Crooker	"	Mill Operative	Hillsboro	Derrig	2	Rev. John L. Cairns,
			Elizabeth M. Travis	"	"	Bennington	Hillsboro	1	Hillsboro
	26	Mass.	Rodney Smith	"	Farmer	Hillsboro	Milford	2	Rev. Harry W. Ewing,
			Lorinda O. Clapp	Antrim	Housekeeper	Deering	Hillsboro	2	Worcester, Mass.
	25	Hillsboro	Henry T. Hoyt	Hillsboro	Clerk	Hillsboro	Hillsboro	1	Rev. John L. Cairns,
			Martha E. Greunler	"	Mill Operative	Germany	Germany	1	Hillsboro
	25	Hillsboro	Chas. Walter Gross	"	"	Maine	Maine	1	Rev. John L. Cairns,
			Alma H. Chapman	Deering	Housework	Windsor	Windsor	1	Hillsboro
	30	Hillsboro	Geo. E. Sullivan	Hillsboro	Mill Operative	Derby, Conn.	Derby, Conn.	1	Rev. T. W. Coakley,
			Mary J. Crowley	"	"	Canada	T. Crowley	1	Hillsboro
	27	Antrim	Jackson C. Carr	"	Clerk	Hillsboro	Antrim	1	Rev. W. R. Cochran,
			Myrtle E. Smith	"	Mill Operative	Tennessee	Tennessee	2	Antrim
			Francis A. Saunders	"	Spinner	Mass.	E. J. Saunders	2	Rev. T. W. Coakley,
	30	Hillsboro	Elizabeth Sleeper	"	Mill Operative	Hillsboro	Franeestown	1	Hillsboro

Births Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1908.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child.	Sex and Condition.		Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Physician Reporting.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Mar. 7	Dorothy	Female	Stillborn	E. Normandine	Annie M. Daniels	G. S. Bailey	Hillsboro	Mill Operative	Canada	Henniker
Apr. 23	Doris	"	Living	Geo. F. Dorr	Annie M. Travis	"	"	Teamster	Mass.	Bennington
*Nov. 25	Doris	"	"	Orrin Greigore	Alice Normandine	W. P. Grimes	"	Mill Operative	Deering	Canada
Apr. 28	"	"	"	Leon G. Rawson	Coria B. Burrows	"	"	"	Sunapee	"
May 11	Gertrude E.	"	"	Harry J. Clough	Mildred W. Wilson	"	"	"	Antrim	Boston, Mass.
15	"	Male	"	Lester L. Landon	Gertrude A. Travis	"	"	"	Mass.	Hillsboro
1	Richard F.	"	"	Chas. G. Dunlap	Lizzie Severance	W. L. Kelso	"	Farmer	Stoddard	Washington
30	Efren Leota	Female	"	Edward Merritt	Lizzie M. Kimball	W. P. Grimes	"	Painter	Mass.	Hillsboro
31	"	Male	"	Alton C. Colby	Gertrude S. Cram	"	"	Teamster	Hillsboro	Weare
June 5	Ruth Harriet	Female	"	Leon P. Nelson	Lena M. Nourse	W. L. Kelso	"	Mill Operative	"	Bennington
22	"	Male	"	Berton E. Newman	Alice M. Jackman	W. P. Grimes	"	Teamster	"	Henniker
27	"	Female	"	Stephen Still	Marion Holbrook	W. H. Abbott	"	Blacksmith	Washington	"
July 1	Bernard W.	Male	"	Geo. W. Merrill	Josephine Lewis	W. P. Grimes	Washington Hillsboro	Farmer	Michigan	Hillsboro
1	Marguerite	Female	"	Wm. T. O'Keefe	Mary Nicholson	W. H. Abbott	"	"	Halifax, N. S.	Sidney, N. S.
1	Jane E.	"	"	Wm. T. O'Keefe	Mary Nicholson	"	"	"	"	"
1	Ernest Orrin	Male	"	Emile Normandine	Sarah Murphy	"	"	"	"	"
1	"	Female	"	John Blanchard	Pauline Martin	G. S. Bailey	"	Mill Operative	Canada	Canada
1	"	"	"	Alvah L. Connor	Jennie R. Morgan	W. P. Grimes	"	Laborer	Derry	Troy
12	"	Male	"	Horace Maxfield	Lizzie F. Tebbetts	W. H. Abbott	"	"	Concord	Concord
12	"	Female	"	Jos. H. Blake	Mary Concey	W. L. Kelso	"	Restaurant	Gilmanton	Northfield
21	"	Male	"	Unknown	Nancy Smith	G. S. Bailey	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Aug. 4	"	Male	"	Guy C. Strickland	Delia Marcott	W. P. Grimes	"	"	"	Windsor
10	Loyd	Female	"	Leander T. York	Sarah C. Putnam	W. P. Grimes	"	Mill Operative	Washington	Lowell, Mass.
20	Sherman F.	Male	"	Hiram McAlpine	Myrtle A. Herrick	W. H. Abbott	"	Carpenter	Halifax, N. S.	Beverly, "
20	Kial Clay	"	"	Elburton Farrar	Mary W. Hastings	W. P. Grimes	"	Express	Hillsboro	Maine
13	Robert M.	"	"	Alfred R. Rowe	Mary Clay Brown	"	"	Farmer	Canada	Canada
Sept. 15	Phyllis May	Female	"	Chas. O. Card	Grace A. Martin	W. L. Kelso	"	Engineer	Henniker	Hillsboro
Oct. 1	"	"	"	Terrence W. Burns	Mary A. Dennis	W. P. Grimes	"	"	"	"
1	"	"	"	Delbert Darres	Nellie M. Page	"	"	"	"	"
Nov. 23	Orville F.	"	"	Fred J. Martin	Achsah L. Sargent	W. L. Kelso	Concord Hillsboro	Lumberman	Concord	Rhode Island
Oct. 23	Mary B.	Female	"	Harry L. Dearborn	Marg't Robinson	"	"	Farmer	Nova Scotia	Manchester
Dec. 9	Frances E.	"	"	Eugene Lefair	Seraphine Cote	W. P. Grimes	"	Spinner	Hillsboro	Goffstown
11	"	"	"	Chas. S. Flanders	Emily Z. Kendall	"	"	Lumberman	Minnesota	Scotland
13	Mary Abby	"	"	W. E. Ellinwood	Ida Wilson	"	"	Printer	Canada	Canada
29	"	"	"	John L. Mosley	Kathryn A. Gill	G. S. Bailey	"	Milk Dealer	New Hampton	Hillsboro
29	"	"	"	Orrin Greigore	Alice Normandine	W. P. Grimes	"	Clerk	Deering	Antrim

*Born Nov. 25, 1907, but not reported until 1908.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hillsborough for the Year Ending December 31, 1908.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.		Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Disease or Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.		Male or Female.	Single, Married or Widowed.						
Jan.	4 Edson H. Chapman	53	7 5	Windsor	M	M Decorator	S. Chapman	S. Chapman	Lydia Dimond	Hillsboro	Ely, Vt.	Heart Trouble
Feb.	19 Matthew Forsaith	81	5 6	Deering	"	W Farmer	D. Forsaith	Nancy Mills	F. Ashford	Deering	Deering	Old Age
	2 Carroll R. Sullivan	81	7 17	N. Y.	"	S	John Sullivan	Elizabeth Moor	Betty Adams	Canada	Derby, N. B.	Enteritis
Mar.	8 Susan E. Watson	72	11 21	Hillsboro	F	M Housewife	John Eaton	Simcoe Emery	Jane McLean	Deering	Andrum	Senile Gangrene
	17 Simeon Emery	68	6 11	Mass.	M	W Laborer	Isaac Farrar	Mary Bean	Mary Trubera	Mass.	Ireland	Sclerosis of Artery
	19 Anna M. Kimball	51	7 14	"	F	M Housewife	Henry Pierce	E. Normandine	Annie Daniels	Mass.	Mass.	Apoplexy
	27 Ellen F. Davis	75	5 1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Old Age
	4 Maria S. Maxfield	62	1 16	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Pneumonia
Apr.	7 Infant Normandine	86	9	Henniker	F	M Housewife	G. Bailey	Adeline Gardner	Sarah Edes	Canada	Henniker	Stillborn
	12 Annie Normandine	20	5	Washington	M	S Hotelkeeper	Geo. H. Tuttle	Lizzie S. Pike	Nancy Hale	Washington	N. H.	Nephritis
	15 Samuel E. Bailey	15	10 28	Hillsboro	"	W Housewife	Jos. Collis	Robert Colby	Lovey Carter	Hillsboro	Bradford	Tuberculosis
	27 G. Archibald Tuttle	62	9	"	F	"	"	"	"	Springfield	Manchester	Periculous Anemia
	28 Vesta A. Travis	62	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	Henniker	Hillsboro	Injury to Spine
May	28 Abi Davis	70	4 19	Mass.	"	M Laborer	Simeon Sears	Lydia A. Ward	Mary Williams	Greenfield	Berkshire, Vt.	Apoplexy
	28 Laura E. Huntley	71	10 22	Hancock	"	W Housewife	Ipps Wyman	R. Wilkins	Martha Bartlett	Deering	Deering	Accidental Injury
	5 Armenda O. Mellen	56	6 18	Montpelier, Vt	M	"	John Carter	Geo. F. Dorr	Anna M. Travis	England	"	Old Age
	8 Alexander Carter	48	17	Deering	F	"	Alex. Gregg	D. W. Newman	A. Kempton	Mass.	Bennington	Heart Disease
	14 Caroline Merrill	93	1 7	"	"	W Housewife	Jona. Gove	Chas. Dunlap	L. J. Severance	Washington	Croydon	Hydrocephalus
June	20 Martha R. Brown	88	10 3	Hillsboro	"	"	"	Geo. F. Dorr	L. J. Severance	Washington	Washington	Carcenoma
	23 Mary H. Newman	33	9 4	"	"	S	"	Chas. Dunlap	L. J. Severance	Stoddard	Weare	Defective Heart
	14 Emma F. Gould	41	6 5	Weare	M	M Housewife	E. Blanchard	Geo. F. White	Mary Friend	Weare	Weare	Carcenoma
	14 Mary J. Gay	71	6 17	Washington	F	W	B. McGreevy	Mary Ward	Mary Ward	Washington	Stoddard	Hernaturin
	18 John McGreevy	71	10 19	Ireland	"	"	"	Eliza Shaw	Eliza Shaw	Ireland	Ireland	Apoplexy
June	30 Mary E. Kimball	57	5 12	Hillsboro	F	"	H. Andrews	Catherine Ross	Sally Wymann	Hillsboro	Scotland	Blood Poison
	12 Edward Kellom	60	2 17	Canada	M	M Farmer	John Huskie	J. Kellom	M. Brigham	Scotland	Hillsboro	Heart Disease
	13 Herbert J. Sargent	82	3	Hillsboro	"	W Laborer	Jas. Sargent	John Whittle	B. Thurston	Hillsboro	Scotland	Old Age
	19 William T. Whittle	40	9 8	Riv erdale	"	"	"	"	"	Warner	Pomfret, Vt.	Accident, Drowning
	24 Oscar G. Jackson	50	5 21	Maine	"	M R. R. Cond.	John Whittle	A. Jackson	Sarah Flint	Goffstown	Wolboro	Nephritis
	26 Robert B. Clement	51	8 6	Hillsboro	"	"	S. E. Clement	Eliza Farson	Hillsboro	Hillsboro	Bradford	Hem. of Stomach

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